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DOMESTIC DISPATCHES.

Correspondence with Dorsey Given to the Public.

SENATORIAL FIGHT.

Page Overhauled by the New York Times—New Star at the Opera—Birthday of Whittier, Etc.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

New York, Dec. 18.—The *Herald* publishes correspondence of President Garfield with Senator Dorsey at the time [illegible] specific proof of the [illegible] existed between them and led them [illegible] confidential intercourse [illegible] attempts which have been made [illegible] the ground that he [illegible] of Garfield and himself was [illegible] It is plain that Garfield sought at [illegible] counsel and help.

[illegible] 18.—The *Mail and Express* says of [illegible]. They show how it was that [illegible] so much trouble [illegible] to stand by him for [illegible] the attitude of fighting [illegible] route robbers. There is no [illegible] evidence that respectable republican [illegible] years to the campaign of 1880, [illegible] corruptly used under Dorsey [illegible] either Garfield or Arthur at that [illegible] guilty of criminal complicity [illegible] thieves.

[illegible] From the letters printed it appears [illegible] had a high opinion of Dorsey as [illegible] and expressed himself as much [illegible] skill, energy and success. It appears [illegible] after election invited Dorsey [illegible] with regard to the manner in which [illegible] should be organized, but it is an [illegible] fact that while Garfield invited and re[illegible] advice, he failed to do the things [illegible] strenuously urged him to do and [illegible] Dorsey [illegible] vehemently protested.

[illegible] a stalwart says it strips the mask [illegible] the ambitious candidate, [illegible] nothing but his own success.

Colorado's Senatorial Fight.

[illegible] 18.—Ex-Senator Chaffee is expected [illegible] any day from New York to take a hand [illegible] senatorial fight. The contest is beginning to [illegible] warm. It present indications at [illegible], Colorado's next senator will have [illegible] Washington with gold. Chaffee [illegible] to be avenged upon every [illegible] the late republican campaign and all [illegible] his defeat of his candidate for gover[illegible] Pitkin if he can and openly sup[illegible] Tabor. The two latter candidates, [illegible] Hamill being a wealthy man [illegible] Senator Hill is supporting [illegible] who will have a strong [illegible] opponents will refuse to nominate [illegible] action will probably result in Ham[illegible] Tabor, Bowen, Routt and Chaffee [illegible] be thrown to Hamill if Pitkin de[illegible] against those several candidates [illegible] governor, appointed Geo. M. Chil[illegible] in the senate. He incurred the [illegible] of Tabor, Bowen and Routt and [illegible] will do anything to defeat him [illegible] Republicans fought Chaffee and [illegible] in defeating his candidate for gover[illegible] to get even by establishing [illegible] Five hundred thousand dollars [illegible] capital of the concern. He will con[illegible] $100,000, Bowen $50,000, and [illegible] of the Bonanza idea through [illegible] the other half. [illegible] coming from Chaffee's interests.

The Times on Congressman Page.

[illegible] 18.—The *Times'* editorial on the [illegible] Page asking the secretary of [illegible] and harbor appropriations [illegible] says it is most appropriate that [illegible] house who has been repudiated [illegible] should have been selected to [illegible] Page represents a constituency [illegible] impregnably republican [illegible] apparently not com[illegible] of disgust with which Page's [illegible] has inspired his former support[illegible] through the form of nominating a [illegible] candidacy at first looked like [illegible] several thousand republicans [illegible] to vote for Page, and the [illegible] whom the democrats had [illegible] himself elected and now [illegible] humiliating and stinging as this [illegible] and declares with Robe[illegible] he always was and that the popu[illegible] expression of popular opinion can [illegible] induce him to change his course.

New Operatic Star.

[illegible] 18.—Jessie Bartlett Davis, a local [illegible] celebrity and the wife of Will J. Davis [illegible] manager, is making a decided [illegible] with Patti, in New York. At [illegible] given at the academy of music [illegible] members of the Mapleson opera [illegible] was on the programme [illegible] but indisposition prevented her [illegible] was taken at a moment's no[illegible] Davis, who sang the "Roman [illegible]" and encore, which was a very [illegible] enthusiastically and demanded [illegible] responded with Russell's [illegible] herself on the piano and again [illegible] hearty applause.

Whittier's Birthday.

[illegible] Whittier, on celebrating his [illegible] yesterday, said: "It is rather a [illegible] a man upon the fact that [illegible]" and, smiling, he added, "per[illegible] to live so long in this wicked [illegible] the New England climate some[illegible] said: "I am a New Eng[illegible] New England, but my 75 years living [illegible] to acclimate me." He says he is [illegible] literary work this winter. He has [illegible] the occasion, including a number [illegible]

The Hebrew League.

[illegible] 18.—The anniversary meeting of [illegible] League was held last evening at Grace [illegible] was a large attendance. Herbert [illegible] made an address. He gave [illegible] account of his visits in the south [illegible] Indian territory and sustained an [illegible] from Christian duty it is a [illegible] the Indians.

A New Country.

[illegible], Dec. 18.—The range of country [illegible] the western limits of Manitoba and [illegible] boundary of British Columbia has been [illegible] territorial divisions, named As[illegible] Saskatchewan, Alberta and Athabaska [illegible] have been established and regula[illegible] of mail matter to these offices [illegible] in the official gazette.

The Prince and the General.

[illegible], Dec. 18.—Prince Taruhito and Gen[illegible] through Central park yesterday morn[illegible] in the Windsor hotel about noon [illegible]. On Wednesday he will go to [illegible] there he will go to [illegible] Francisco. He will sail for Japan.

Edison's Electric Light.

[illegible] light says the Sun is a failure [illegible]. The light cannot be furnished [illegible] the prices the public have been [illegible]. There are also grave mechanical diffi[illegible] to overcome before it can be satisfactorily [illegible]

Sunday Concerts Stopped.

[illegible] J., Dec. 18.—The police having an [illegible] performances on Sunday where no [illegible] was charged would be stopped, the [illegible] closed with a single exception. [illegible] the concert and free advertised perform[illegible], a German, was not given.

Chamber of Commerce Meeting.

[illegible] Dec. 18.—A large number of the mem[illegible] chamber of commerce assembled in [illegible] evening for the purpose of discussing [illegible] for the restoration of the shipping [illegible] the United States, but at [illegible] o'clock the [illegible] still in progress.

RAILWAY NEWS.

Investigating Roads in Kansas.

[illegible], Ks., Dec. 18.—The committee ap[illegible] convention of members of the legis[illegible] at Abilene a few days ago [illegible] of railroad legislation met [illegible] and issued a short address asking [illegible] all others having [illegible] against places or individuals in mat[illegible] freight or passenger rates [illegible] information to the committee [illegible] before an adjourned meeting of the conven[illegible] held at Topeka, January [illegible]. Also to [illegible] the legislature.

Division of Business.

[illegible], Dec. 18.—C. C. Wheeler [illegible] Topeka and Santa Fe [illegible] president of the [illegible] connections [illegible] general freight agent [illegible] Southern Pacific, Vice President Haynes [illegible] Southern roads, and Dillon [illegible] Pacific, are in executive session at the [illegible] to-day discussing the [illegible] on their roads. [illegible] will be [illegible] will undoubtedly [illegible]

Rumor on the Atlantic and Pacific.

[illegible], Dec 18.—The *Post's* financial art[illegible] rumors telegraphed [illegible] the Atlantic and Pacific [illegible] the rumor [illegible] subcontractor for [illegible] J. and W. Seligman, [illegible] managing the finan[illegible] we are assured [illegible] for the completion of the [illegible] connect it with [illegible] will be no delay [illegible]

FIRES.

Sixty Buildings Laid Waste.

[illegible] Ark., Dec. 18.—[illegible] visited by one of the [illegible] ever known in [illegible] buildings, nearly all of [illegible] business firms [illegible] the [illegible]. The loss is estimated [illegible] $50,000.

A Steamer Burned.

[illegible] Dec. 18.—The [illegible] completely gutted yesterday [illegible]

Minor Conflagrations.

[illegible] Hall in Norwich [illegible] is burned.

[illegible] at Coral [illegible] containing [illegible]

[illegible] a fire broke [illegible]. Total loss about [illegible] drug store [illegible]

THE PASSION PLAY.

Rev. Geo. H. Smyth of New York Preaches a Sermon Denouncing Its Production as a Desecration and Unholy Mockery.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

New York, Dec. 18.—Rev. G. H. Smyth [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] wanting, and in the American.

[illegible]

NOTABLE DEAD.

Interesting Biography of Congressman Orth—Lieut.-Col. Schofield Commits Suicide, Cause Unknown—An Old Sea Captain's Demise.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Washington, Dec. 18.—The following biography of Congressman Orth is [illegible] He was a stalwart in the fullest sense and never [illegible] any measures. If he had any sympathy for the south during the years which followed the war, he did not show it [illegible] At the time of his death he was chairman of the select committee on civil service reform at this time a very important committee. In fact he played an important part in the position which this country assumed in the struggle of Cuba for independence. He was chairman of the committee on foreign affairs when Hamilton Fish was secretary of state and Sydney Webster, a son-in-law of Fish, was a counsel of the Spanish government and it is alleged receiving a salary of $40,000 a year. A resolution had been introduced in the house and referred to Orth's committee, which, if it had been reported favorably to the house might have been adopted. If it had been adopted the Cubans would have been justified in concluding that this government would render them assistance. Fish, so the story goes, sent for Orth, who had been defeated for re-election and asked him what he proposed to do when congress adjourned.

Orth said he had nothing in view. Fish said the Austrian mission was his if he desired it, but if he [illegible] him to Vienna he would ask a favor in return. What Fish wanted was that Orth should put the Cuban resolution in his pocket and keep it there until after the adjournment of congress. There was a strong lobby trying to get the resolution through congress. It is said that Grant's brother-in-law Casey had $13,000,000 of bonds which the Cubans issued. The bonds had been given Casey with the understanding that he would secure the sympathy of the president for the Cuban cause. The bonds of course were never worth anything, because Orth pocketed the resolution and soon after adjournment of congress went to Austria as American minister.

His connection with the Venezuelan claims business, and the effect which that connection had on his political fortunes are well known to the country.

Speaker Keifer yesterday designated Representatives Calkins, Steel, Pierce, Turner, Updegraff, Matson, Calerick and Shallenberger as a committee to attend the funeral services of the late Mr. Orth. The committee leave to-day for Lafayette, Indiana.

Suicide of Colonel Scofield.

Fort Assinaboine, Dec. 18.—Lieut. Col. Geo. W. Scofield of the Sixth cavalry, commanding this post, committed suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself in the [illegible]. The bullet passed entirely through his head, death following instantly. Col. Scofield has been in poor health for some time and this action was doubtless taken in a moment of temporary insanity, as he had no trouble of any kind so far as known.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Lieut. Col. Geo. W. Scofield, the news of whose suicide reached here last night, is a brother of Genl John M. Scofield, in command at San Francisco, and two years younger than the latter. He has a sister living here, Mrs. J. H. Wise, and his father, a venerable man of 81 years, is also here. When seen by your correspondent to-night Mrs. Wise said she had received a telegram from General Scofield announcing her brother's death. It gives no intimation of suicide, and she did not believe he had purposely taken his own life.

Capt. Robert Creighton.

New York, Dec. 18.—Capt. Robert Creighton, marine superintendent of the Red Star steamship line at Antwerp, recently died at that port, aged [illegible]. Several years ago, when in command of the ship Three Bells on the Pacific, he rescued two or three hundred United States soldiers from a sinking transport. For this act he received a vote of thanks and a gift of money from congress. His favorite ballad for some time after that was "The Good Ship Three Bells, Three Bells."

A Prominent Odd Fellow.

[illegible] Dec. 18.—Amasa A. Berry, [illegible] of [illegible] died yesterday soon after returning from a trip to the Pacific coast in search [illegible] fifteen years he was treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Funeral of Senator O'Hagan.

Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 18.—The funeral of Hon. Henry O'Hagan took place here yesterday and was very largely attended.

Death of a Confederate Congressman.

[illegible]mond, Va., Dec. 18.—Jas. Lyons, member of the confederate congress, died to-day, aged 81.

ACCIDENTS.

A Disastrous Collision.

Cincinnati, Dec. 18.—A collision occurred last night at King's station, 30 miles from here, between the limited express and a passenger train, on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati & St. Louis road. The extent of the damage is not fully known. A. H. Wharton, postal clerk, was instantly killed. Postal clerks [illegible] and [illegible], were also hurt. One engineer is reported killed. There is no news regarding the passengers, and railroad men have no information.

Later.—It is now stated that only two persons were killed, Postal Clerk Wharton and Engineer Peters. No passengers were hurt. Kirally Bros' elephant was killed. This is the elephant recently dosed with two gallons of whisky.

[illegible] details are extremely meagre [illegible] is known. The accident happened on a high curve between Foster and New Lebanon. Engineer Peters, of the east bound train, had his head separated from his body. Postal Clerk W. H. Wharton, living in Urbana, was also instantly killed, and W. H. [illegible] and Adam [illegible], postal clerks, were seriously injured. [illegible] the Kiralfy [illegible] train and the World Combination [illegible] on the east bound train. [illegible] of the company [illegible] Mrs. [illegible], postal clerk [illegible] accommodation [illegible] the limited express train. At the sharp curve the trains crashed together [illegible] crushed together and [illegible] cars were thrown from the track. Kiralfy Bros.' elephant was [illegible] reported.

Caused by a Broken Rail.

[illegible] Dec. 18.—The Wabash passenger train was ditched [illegible] east of Fort Wayne Saturday [illegible] cars were [illegible]

Boiler Burst.

[illegible]

Powder Explosion.

[illegible]

Fell from a Steeple.

[illegible]

SUPREME COURT.

[illegible]

CONGRESS.

The Senate Considers the Indian Appropriation and Bankruptcy Bills.

THE HOLIDAY RECESS VOTED DOWN.

Both Houses Adjourn out of Respect to the Memory of Congressman Orth—Gossip from Committee Rooms and Lobby.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Senate.

Washington, Dec. 18.

[illegible] submitted a [illegible] Sherman introduced [illegible] bill. [illegible]

[illegible] a joint resolution [illegible] appointed to the standing civil service, which was ordered printed. It provides that [illegible] in the operation of law that [illegible] among the states and territories [illegible] that the heads of departments [illegible] in office [illegible] injury to the public service [illegible] examination within six months from the passage of the act, with an injury to the service. It further [illegible] subjected to examination within twelve months. Officers to be appointed geographically [illegible] given to each of the three persons standing highest in the competitive examination without reference to political affiliations, the whole force to be reduced to the actual requirements of the public service.

Grover, from the committee on public lands, reported a bill authorizing the sale of certain public property at Upper Astoria.

The Indian appropriation bill was asked for [illegible] consideration. Ingalls objected.

[illegible] had called for information [illegible] the appropriation and the report [illegible] and thought it satisfactorily explained in a communication of the secretary of the interior.

Dawes, in charge of the bill, made a brief statement of its provisions. The amount appropriated last year was $5,[illegible]. The appropriation this year would be [illegible] less than the appropriation last year.

The bill was then read and nearly all the amendments reported by the committee on Indian affairs were agreed to.

In the discussion Beck said, making an appropriation to pay teachers, blacksmiths, etc., upon the reservations in accordance with our absurd treaties were a waste of money. These appropriations were made from year to year, while among most of the [illegible] no houses were ever opened. The Indians would hardly be caught with a lasso, much less coming to school. [illegible] was spent upon sugar and groceries.

Brown, as a question of personal privilege, quoted the statement in a Washington paper that he [illegible] of the committee [illegible] Hill's funeral had been extravagant [illegible] incurred bills of $10,[illegible] instead of $[illegible] as stated. The undertaker, without the authority or sanction of the family, presented a bill for $[illegible].

Hoar, from the committee on judiciary, reported with amendments the bankruptcy bill. The amendments are:

First—Excepting from the term "trader" as used in the bill persons who buy goods and merchandise to sell only to tenants and employees [illegible]

Second—Providing that the attorney-general shall annually lay before congress a table showing the number of bankruptcy proceedings, voluntary or involuntary, the amount of dividends paid, expense of procedure, etc.

Third—Adding to the clause specifying that the following shall be deemed to have committed an act of bankruptcy, or who shall after the passage of this act sell or buy or agree to sell or buy for delivery at a future period longer than three days from the date of such sale or purchase, any stocks, bonds or other securities or any grain, flour, provisions, provender, cotton, wool, sugar, silk or tobacco without such vendor being at the time of making such contract the owner, assignee or trustee of the property sold, or agent of the owner and agent of such owner, assignee or trustee.

Fourth—Providing that if proceedings in a bankruptcy case are not prosecuted to a conclusion within [illegible] months from filing petition [illegible] proceedings shall be dismissed by the court, and the parties placed in the same position as regards their rights as debtor and creditor as they held at the commencement of the proceedings.

The house resolutions in relation to the death of Orth were laid before the senate. Harrison delivered a eulogy on Orth and moved as a further mark of respect to his memory [illegible]. The presiding officer appointed as a committee to attend the funeral Harrison, Lapham and Saunders. Adjourned.

House.

Washington, Dec. 18.

But [illegible] offered a resolution reciting the demoralization of the [illegible] trade on account of the agitation of the question of taxation, and declaring it the sense of the house that if a reduction is made the measure should include a provision allowing a rebate of the tax paid on the stock on hand when the law goes into effect, if the packages are unbroken. Referred to the committee on ways and means.

The shipping bill was made a special order for January [illegible]

Kelley, reporting back the resolution for a recess, said the business of the country would be as well off if the house sat during the holidays. A long debate ensued over the holiday recess.

Reid remarked the members had enough recreation during the last vacation. [Laughter.] The resolution for a recess from December 22 to January [illegible] was lost, 125 to 105.

Robeson moved to fine each member $50 for each day during the holiday.

Robeson's resolution was adopted, and the house adjourned out of respect to the memory of Orth.

Congressional Chit-Chat.

[CONJECTURES OF THE MORNING.]

Washington, Dec. 18.—In the senate to-day during the morning hour an effort will be made to effect an agreement for taking a final vote on the civil service bill before adjournment, and in case an hour [illegible] can be unanimously agreed to, the chairman of the appropriation committee will later call up the Indian appropriation bill until Tuesday. Otherwise the last named measure will take precedence of all other business and will doubtless hold the floor of the senate until disposed of. It is not expected to consume more than a few hours however, and may be passed before 2 o'clock, at which hour the civil service bill, in default of unanimous consent to carry, must be formally before the senate as unfinished business and will require a vote of the senate to lay it aside even temporarily. Except on the basis of unanimous consent there is no probability of final action on the civil service bill before Tuesday or Wednesday.

The consular and diplomatic bill is to be reported from the appropriation committee to-morrow and the military academy and agricultural appropriation bills will be in readiness for the senate's action soon afterward.

In the house to-day, after the call of states, the committees will be called for motions to suspend the rules, each in its turn being entitled to offer a measure for adoption by a two-thirds majority. The measure [illegible] Pacific railroads [illegible] but no action has yet been taken by that committee nor by the committee on rivers and harbors, [illegible] next in [illegible] and education and labor, which stand next in order in regard to passing [illegible] the measures hitherto reported by them [illegible] likely to be reached in the call to[illegible] day are mostly of minor importance. [illegible] will present a [illegible] day for consideration of the American shipping bill. The exact date has not yet been determined upon.

[illegible] of the postoffice appropriation bill will be [illegible] the question in controversy [illegible] compensation to be allowed to land grant railroads for carrying mails [illegible] probably be [illegible]

[illegible] tax bill [illegible] taken up in the house to-morrow or Wednesday [illegible] likely to give rise to a [illegible] appropriation bill may be expected to hold the [illegible] Christmas recess.

[illegible]

Washington, Dec. 18.—The Michigan senatorial fight is [illegible] than it will be in January. [illegible]

[illegible]

The gentlemen in congress who are working for the adoption of measures for the revival of American shipping [illegible] no time in bringing the latter forward for consideration of the house. The bill reported by the select committee on the revival of American shipping in the house Saturday, was referred to the committee on commerce and that committee at a special meeting to-day unanimously agreed to report it back and ask that a day be set for its consideration. This was done in the house, the bill being made the special order for January [illegible] [illegible] amendments were added by the committee, one providing for the return to this country from foreign ports of sick or disabled American seamen, under regulations to be prescribed hereafter by the secretary of the treasury, and the other, including in the [illegible] vessels [illegible] from payment of tonnage taxes and consular fees those engaged in the trade with Mexico. The committee on commerce have agreed to give the gentlemen who favor free ships and free materials for the building of American ships full opportunity to present their views in the house. Mr. Cox of New York, one of the members of the joint select committee which reported the bill, says of it to-day that it should find favor as it removed a number of petty restrictions and burdens which have heretofore borne heavily upon American ship owners at the same time that it proposes no subsidies or other features to which objection might be made. He thinks the measure will be readily disposed of this session.

[illegible]

Washington, Dec. 18.—Representative Anderson, in a speech on the fast mails, after showing that New England only mailed 137,000,000 letters in 1880, while Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois mailed 251,000,000, said we should provide facilities for the people using them. But take the states of the west and in fact many of the territories, running far out into the mountain ranges and out along the new routes [illegible] very sparse settlements running clear to the Pacific ocean, what is the number of letters mailed during a year in those states and territories? Two hundred and ninety millions, while in New England only 137,000,000 and in Massachusetts 60,000,000 were mailed. He submitted a table to show that there were mailed in California 27,000,000 letters, Colorado [illegible], [illegible] 4[illegible], Nebraska, 10,2[illegible], Nevada 1,4[illegible], Oregon 3,[illegible], Utah 2,7[illegible], Wyoming [illegible], Alaska [illegible], Arizona 1,7[illegible], Idaho, [illegible], Montana 1,576,[illegible]. The average to each [illegible] was New York 41.5[illegible], Massachusetts [illegible], [illegible] 22.20, Alaska 12.[illegible], Arizona, [illegible], Arkansas 8, California 36.09, Colorado [illegible], District of Columbia 85.[illegible], Indian territory, [illegible], Montana, 49.35, Nevada [illegible], Oregon 20.[illegible], Utah 19.12.

He drew from these figures the deduction that the western states and territories deserve the [illegible] consideration as their averages and aggregate office patronage is large.

THE POLITICAL STATUS OF CONGRESS.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Hon. Edward McPherson has prepared a list of representatives elect as follows: Democrats 191, republicans 119, independents [illegible], greenbackers 2, readjusters, [illegible]. According to this classification the democrats have a majority of [illegible] over all others. There are two vacancies caused by the death of Herr [illegible] Indiana and [illegible] of Ohio to be filled. One of these vacancies will be filled by a democrat and the other by a republican. The democratic majority will still be 51. Following are the names of the independents according to McPherson's classification: Finerty of Illinois, Lyman of Massachusetts, Chalmers of Mississippi, York of North Carolina and Ochiltree of Texas. The greenbackers are Buum of Pennsylvania and [illegible] of Iowa. The six readjusters are all from Virginia. McPherson is careful to say that in putting the name of Gen. Chalmers on the list of members elect he does not assume to foreclose the question of contest involved in the Chalmers vs. Manning case, by the official returns of the vote in the second Mississippi district, which includes the vote of Tate Co. for Chalmers, thus giving him a majority over Manning. The name of Chalmers has been placed on the list merely for statistical purposes.

CHANGES IN THE SENATE.

It is believed the senate after the 4th of March, will have a decided republican majority. The terms of office of twenty-six senators expire on the 4th of next March, and a majority of these senators will be their own successors. Nearly all the senators will be succeeded by members of their own party. The exceptions are Senators David Davis, Kellogg, Grover and Johnson. Senator Davis will, in all probability, be succeeded by a republican. Randall Gibson, a democrat, has already been elected to succeed Kellogg. The democrats lose two votes in the successors to Grover and Johnson. The majority is [illegible] one, however, and leaves Riddleberger and Mahone with the balance of power. This outlook is not as pleasant as might be for the republican senators, as it involves the election of Gorham to the [illegible] secretary of the senate, and the revival of the [illegible] scandal of combination with the readjusters in the Virginia fight.

AN [illegible] LAW.

Representative Deuster of Virginia, at the earliest opportunity will introduce a bill prohibiting any person who holds a public trust or office of [illegible] from being a member of any central executive or any other committee of a political organization, from being a delegate to a convention of a political party, and from the control of the [illegible] It also prohibits any person from taking part in any campaign as speaker or canvasser during the hours for which he is employed by the government. The penalty for violation of the provisions is dismissal from [illegible] and ineligibility for reappointment for five years.

FACTS [illegible] THE [illegible]

Owing to the [illegible] for the holiday recess [illegible] and to the [illegible] the fact of the early adjournment of the [illegible] were called for bills [illegible] committees for proposed [illegible] rules [illegible]

WASHINGTON CITY.

Check of a Georgia Undertaker.

[illegible] funeral. The undertaker arrived here lately [illegible] funeral [illegible] $1,[illegible]

They asked [illegible] your partner?

[illegible]

What [illegible] you are crazy. You had better go back and let your partner make out a new [illegible] entirely [illegible] Georgia [illegible] $1,800. The [illegible] would [illegible] a new [illegible] before [illegible] back. His [illegible] from home that his [illegible] New York [illegible] good time [illegible] undertakers [illegible]

The Gambling Story.

Washington, Dec. 18.—[illegible] regarding the story that a [illegible] judge had lost heavily at [illegible] night [illegible]

[illegible]

The Lion and the Lamb.

[illegible]

Interesting [illegible]

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BY OCEAN WIRE.

Parnell Airs his Views on Irish Immigration and the Government.

BISMARCK AND THE EMPEROR ILL.

Would-be Murderers Take Pistol Practice—DeLesseps Talks About his Panama Canal—Russian War Rumors Unfounded.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Cork, Dec. 18.—Parnell in a speech yesterday said it would always [illegible] attempt of the government [illegible] promote the emigration [illegible] placed on land in America provided with [illegible] He [illegible] by purchasing, for the people the vast tracts [illegible] in Ireland, which were occupied before the famine and there was no reason why they should [illegible] be peopled again.

Parnell estimated that [illegible] pounds of arrears of rent would be wiped out by the arrears of rent act. He believed that since the [illegible] the agitation [illegible] had been obtained for the people.

Pistol Practice for Murder.

Dublin, Dec. 18.—It is now proven at the recent investigation regarding the Phoenix park murders, when pressed admitted they had been practicing with revolvers for the purpose of committing murder, but did not regard the carrying out of their object as a crime, but only an act of war.

The Irish Murders.

Dublin, Dec. 18.—Michael Flynn arraigned to-day for participation in the murder of the two Huddys, pleaded not guilty.

Westgate was taken to the castle to-day and privately examined touching his confession relative to the Phoenix Park murders.

The Lord Lieutenancy.

Dublin, Dec. 18.—The *Evening Mail* believes there is no doubt Earl Spencer will resign the lord lieutenancy, which the affairs of Ireland are in a more satisfactory condition. Lord Rosebery will probably succeed him.

Will Hold the Prisoners.

Dublin, Dec. 18.—The [illegible] believe they have evidence sufficient to sustain a charge of conspiracy against the persons now in custody [illegible] of being concerned in the Phoenix park murders.

Branch of the National League.

Cork, Dec. 18.—Parnell opened here [illegible] a branch of the Irish national league. He explained the purpose of the league [illegible] purpose of any class, but [illegible] national objects and the [illegible] of the Irish people of every class.

Morel Superseded.

Madrid, Dec. 18.—In the chamber of deputies Saturday the Marquis de Sardoval [illegible] he spoke in the name of the [illegible] exiles [illegible] Morel [illegible] eye turned upon Morel [illegible] superseded [illegible] leadership of the faction he instituted [illegible] Morel said he differed from the Marquis de Sardoval in regard to [illegible] points but would Monday fully defend his reasons for joining Marshal Serrano.

DeLesseps and his Panama Canal.

Paris, Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the Geographical society yesterday, M. DeLesseps promised the Panama canal would be ready to be opened in 1888. He described the health of the employes as satisfactory and stated the rate of mortality at Panama did not exceed that in France. He said fears that the canal would be liable to destruction by earthquake were unfounded.

A Battle in Tonquin.

Paris, Dec. 18.—Unofficial news from Tonquin reports that 10,000 Chinese marching against the French were surprised in a defile by the mountaineers and their rear guard cut to pieces. The Chinese [illegible] to Kwangsi.

The Emperor and Bismarck Ill.

[illegible], Dec. 18.—Bismarck is suffering greatly [illegible] He will be unable to fulfil his declared intention of defending the introduction of [illegible] tax on spirits in the lower house Wednesday.

An official bulletin says the emperor, who is confined by a bad cold, slept tolerably well last night and is considerably better.

Russia had all the Asked.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—The *North German Gazette* in reply to an article in the St. Petersburg *Golos*, regarding Germany's attitude in support of the Berlin congress, says Germany did everything Russia requested and would have supported the further demands of Russia had the latter made them known officially. It was impossible for Germany to support more than Russia asked. Russian attacks on Germany at that period were therefore unjust.

Officially Speaking.

Vienna, Dec. 18.—The evening edition of the *Official Journal* says newspaper reports concerning the military preparations of Russia have been regarded with a seriousness which they did not deserve. It says the public cannot be too serious respecting the degree of credence to be attached to such news.

CABLE FLASHES.

Francis Close, dean of Carlisle, is dead.

The Henatite Iron company of Marjfer, England, has failed. Liabilities £100,000.

Morris Smith & Co., of Swansea, Wales, tin plate manufacturers, have failed. liabilities £100,000.

The great land case at London of Winans vs. Mackenzie was dismissed, with costs to the plaintiff.

The Malagasy envoys visited the German ambassador at London and were very cordially received.

By an explosion in a cartridge factory at Mount Vallerinen, France, thirty women were seriously injured.

John Cranden, who sent a letter threatening the Prince of Wales and Gladstone, has been committed for trial.

The liabilities of bankrupt tin plate firms of England aggregate £4,[illegible],000. The trade is temporarily paralyzed.

Famine prevails in Carrick, county Donegal. The people are living on Indian meal and 2,000 are in danger of starvation.

The bill for the remission of the four lowest grades of class tax in Prussia has been referred to a select committee.

Hately denies he ever made a confession implicating himself in the Phoenix park murders or that he knows anything about the crime.

At Sydney, N. S. W., the general election for the legislative assembly resulted in the return of a large majority against the government.

Bonapartists held a banquet at Beauvais yesterday, the object of the meeting being to proclaim Victor Napoleon president of the republic.

Parnell says the cause of home rule is rapidly coming to the front. Both English political parties are very much afraid of the Irish vote.

It is stated Russia has explained to the many that the changes being made in the Russian garrison on the Russo-German frontier are unimportant.

Obstacles have been raised to Lord Derby's appointment to the India office by reason of the views he expressed in his recent speech at Manchester relative to Egypt.

CRIMINAL NOTES.

A Moral and Physical Wreck.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—An old man, heavily ironed, was yesterday placed in a cell at the [illegible] police station. He has none of the [illegible] who gain a livelihood by [illegible] in polite society. On the contrary, he was pale, reserved and taciturn, and what little he said was evidently the utterance of a man terribly in earnest. He is a notorious stage robber and is being transferred from the penitentiary at Fort Yuma, Arizona, to Detroit, there to serve the remainder of a [illegible] years' term of imprisonment, [illegible] years of which have already passed at his former place. His name is James F. Rhodes. He robbed the United States mail coach near Fort Yuma of $18,000 and received on account of his ill health. The case was a sensational one at the time.

Crooked Distillers.

[illegible], Dec. 18.—A rumor [illegible] that the whisky distilling interests of [illegible] the [illegible] has been using crooked barrels or whisky which hold two gallons less than the standard barrels, making a net gain for the crooked distiller over his competitors of $[illegible] a day. The matter has been brought to [illegible] internal revenue [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] of Hazlet [illegible]

[illegible] San Francisco [illegible]

[illegible] Chinese gambling [illegible]

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS.

[illegible]

SPRECKLES' SUGAR.

The Great Grip this Monopolist has on the Pacific Coast Trade and how he Proposes to Retain it.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Washington, Dec. 18.—A good deal of talk rules now in the city, and yesterday [illegible] while he might if he were a San Francisco merchant oppose the abrogation of the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty, yet [illegible] short for its abrogation if he were a member of congress.

He declared that although nearly all the sugar used on the Pacific coast [illegible] from the Hawaiian islands free of duty, yet [illegible] the consumer [illegible] than imported duty paid sugar costs the consumer in the east. The entire crop of sugar in the islands is controlled by the millionaire planter and refiner, Spreckles, who brings sugar to San Francisco and refines it there. The entire sugar business of the islands and of the Pacific slope is in the hands of Spreckles.

It was asserted by this gentleman from California that while Spreckles can, because of the treaty, sell sugar in the Pacific slope market at a price [illegible] cents lower than the price of duty paid sugar in the east, he charges consumers there 2½ cents more than the price in the east. So California, which ought to have the benefit of the free trade in sugar, is compelled to pay [illegible] cents per pound more for the Hawaiian island product than the residents of the east pay for duty-paid sugar from Cuba.

He also said that by means of an arrangement with the transcontinental railway [illegible] to freight charges on western bound sugar [illegible]

[illegible]

From the east and that sugar can be bought much cheaper in Montana and other territories than in San Francisco itself. This great sugar monopolist seems therefore to have control of the sugar market west of the Rocky mountains.

The gentleman was asked if abrogation of the treaty would benefit the consumers of sugar on the Pacific slope and he replied that he was not sure that it would. It might do them more harm than good. Spreckles could then sell his sugar at the price which now prevails there, and by combination with the transcontinental railway companies could control the market as completely as he does now. Eastern refiners could not affect the Pacific market in either case so long as the railroads could be induced to make the place of a prohibitory tariff. It is possible that if the treaty should be abrogated the price of sugar to consumers on the Pacific slope would be raised in order to make good to the monopolist the duty which he would be obliged to pay.

Page Favors the Treaty.

Mr. Page, chairman of the house committee on commerce, said to-day that he believes the sentiment of the people of the Pacific coast was against the abrogation of the Hawaiian sugar treaty. For political reasons he thought a commercial treaty with that government was an advantage to the country and especially to the people of the Pacific coast. General Rosecrans said he thought the political advantage of the treaty with Hawaii outweighed the loss of the revenue of the sugar imported free of duty from the Sandwich islands. Although by a combination between Spreckles and the railroads, the price of sugar was maintained at the rate higher than the market rate of New York, abrogation of the treaty would only make matters worse. Consequently he was opposed to abrogation.

A Monstrous Perversion of Justice.

New York, Dec. 18.—The *Post* says if Hawaiian sugar is to be admitted at San Francisco duty free, it must be admitted at every other port, but the fact remains that this is a monstrous perversion of justice that a bounty should be voted from the treasury to a lot of cane growers in a foreign country, for that is what it amounts to. Experience has proven that sugar is no cheaper in the Pacific coast states by reason of this trade. This scandalous arrangement has been running on eight or ten years. The secretary of the treasury has called attention to the fact that it may be terminated at 12 o'clock noon in one year, and that is the earliest it can be lawfully reached.

CHINA AND JAPAN.

Great Fire at Canton and many Lives Lost—Diplomatic Matters—Postal Superintendent Bryan Returns Home, Etc.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

San Francisco, Dec. 18.—The steamship Belgic arrived from Hongkong via Yokohama, with the following news:

FROM CHINA.

Hongkong, Nov. 22.—A great fire occurred at Canton Nov. 7th and 8th. Eight hundred houses were destroyed. Many lives were lost, including many Chinese burned to death. The viceroy visited the scene with a body of soldiers to prevent robberies and fierce fights between thieves and citizens, but was himself placed in danger of his life, his party being jammed in the narrow streets.

Two fires occurred in Foo Chow Nov. 4th and 5th, and consumed each about 200 houses. [illegible] lives were lost.

Col. Bodisco, military attache in the Russian legation in Pekin, is dangerously ill,—not expected to recover.

Prince Kung's death may be looked for at any time.

Large bodies of Chinese troops continue encamped around the capital of Tonquin with the avowed intention of resisting further aggressive action by the French.

[illegible]so, the Nanking viceroy, has had a stroke of paralysis and is not expected to survive.

A secret dispatch is discovered to have been sent by Tsung Li Yamen to the local authorities in the province of Soo Chow, ordering a strict watch over suspicious aliens traveling disguised as Chinese. It is by some supposed that this is aimed at the missionaries who frequently adopt this costume.

Le Hung Chang continues to push forward the reorganization of the navy. He has ordered additional torpedo boats from Germany and great quantities of small arms have been purchased for the army.

Young, United States minister, has made an application for the appointment of an American as inspector general of customs in Corea, but the position is promised to an Englishman.

Mulendorff, a German resident of Tientsin, it is said will be appointed foreign adviser to the Corean ministry.

The French envoy will renew proposals for a treaty with Corea, abandoning, if necessary, his claim for the admission of missionaries and consenting to the exclusion of opium.

FROM JAPAN.

Yokohama, Dec. 1.—A supplementary treaty has been executed between Japan and Corea extending the boundaries of Japanese settlements and providing for the opening of a new port after one year and permitting Japanese diplomatic or consular agents to dwell or travel in the interior of Corea.

The Japanese government is preparing to encourage settlements in the Bonin islands on a considerable scale.

S. H. Bryan, for many years American postal superintendent, returns home by this boat, having retired from the Japanese service.

The trade between the southern Japanese ports and Russian ports on the Siberian coast is rapidly and substantially increasing.

General surprise is caused by the report that the Japanese government, hitherto [illegible] opposed to the emigration of its people and bitterly hostile to every feature of the coolie trade, has yielded, under pressure of foreign influence, to the application of the Hawaiian envoy now in Tokio and consented to the transfer of large numbers of Japanese subjects upon terms similar to those of Chinese coolies in various countries. The Hawaiian envoy returns home presently.

A long decree has been published, purporting to emanate from the court of Corea, declaring the king of that country has no hostility to foreign intercourse, and setting forth the reasons why the recent treaties will bring about results advantageous to all parties.

The attack of the [illegible] on the Chinese [illegible] is connected with a general rising [illegible]

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OUR MERCHANT MARINE.

The two reports, published yesterday, of the majority and minority of the committee of congress appointed to investigate the condition of our merchant marine and suggest measures for its restoration, taken together present a very intelligent view of the subject. The majority are [illegible] in urging remission or drawback of duties on shipbuilding materials as such a [illegible] method of restoring this important industry, and the minority are too confident of the efficacy of the remedy they propose in the repeal of the now absurd navigation laws. But each of these is a necessary preliminary step. They would not re-create our merchant marine, but they would make it possible to recreate it. An eminent writer on this subject shows that through long public indifference to this subject, through actual hostility to shipping and foreign commerce, and through the habit of disregarding the results of thorough economic investigations, there has been created a series of obstacles in the way of profitable employment of American vessels in foreign commerce, so serious and destructive that if ships of the best foreign construction were to-day put down at our wharves as free gifts their use in competition with vessels under foreign flags would be attended with not a little of embarrassment, if, indeed, it should not prove wholly impracticable.

Among these obstacles are the burdens of local taxation, the duties on ships' supplies, and the heavy weight of tonnage-taxes, consular fees, pilot charges and the whole list of burdens which nations who pursue an enlightened maritime policy have either reduced to a minimum or abolished altogether, but which the United States have never thought of trying to render less onerous. Foreign countries, with the possible exception of Spain, exempt their shipping from all direct taxation as property; and in Great Britain the ownership of a vessel that is idle or not earning does not entail any burden of taxation whatever. But in America a ship is rated for taxes at its property valuation, and whether it be at work or idle, profitably or unprofitably employed, it must pay taxes all the same. The foreign ship-owner, on the contrary, pays only a tax upon his profits. If he makes no profits he has nothing to pay. Again, we levy a tonnage tax, which no other nation does, and our system of measurement often makes this tax an unnecessarily oppressive one. Then we have compulsory pilotage, three months' extra pay to crews discharged in foreign lands, obligatory employment of government officials for the shipment of crews in business ports, and an almost endless list of charges from which our competitors on the ocean are made free as possible by their own laws. The minority of the committee therefore are not far wrong in their judgment that if ships were given us we could not sail them with profit under our laws as they now stand, against our wiser competitors on the ocean.

In 1856 more than 75 per cent. of our imports and exports were carried in vessels of the United States. In 1881 our proportion was only 16 per cent.; and it is believed that it will fall below 15 per cent. this year. During the same period foreign tonnage entering the ports of the United States has increased more than twelve millions of tons. British tonnage alone increased its proportion from [illegible] tons in 1856 to 7,903,000 in 1880, Germany, during the same period, from 136,000 to [illegible], and Sweden and Norway from [illegible] to 1,[illegible]. Even Austria, limited almost to a single seaport, jumped from [illegible] tons in 1856 to 236,000 tons in 1880, and had in 1879 no less than 170 large-class vessels engaged in the American trade. Spain, Portugal and Russia have increased their tonnage in the American trade at about the same proportion as Austria. While the tonnage of all other nations engaged in our trade has increased so rapidly, our own tonnage employed in our foreign trade has decreased, not relatively but absolutely. The [illegible], in 1880 it was 65,000 tons less than in 1856.

What have been the chief causes of this remarkable change? It has been a common fashion to attribute them mainly to our great civil war. But the war was only a contributing element. Years before it broke out the causes which have produced the change had begun to appear. The war, indeed, hastened a decay which had already commenced, but, under the same influences and conditions as have otherwise prevailed, the same results which we now deplore would undoubtedly have been reached, even if no war had intervened. The primary cause was, as an able writer has expressed it, what may be termed a natural one, namely, the result of the progress of the age and a higher degree of civilization; in other words, the substitution of steam for wind as an agent of ship-propulsion, and the substitution of iron for wood as a material for ship-construction. We fell behind our foreign competitors in recognizing these new conditions and making the necessary adjustments to them. In consequence the means and appliances for construction of iron vessels were ready in Great Britain long before any serious thought was turned in that direction by our own countrymen. Laird was building iron vessels with great success in 1865. Again, the facilities for the construction of machinery adapted to the most economical propulsion of steam vessels were inferior in the United States to those in Great Britain years before our war commenced; and, by reason of statute provisions, citizens of the United States interested in ocean commerce were absolutely forbidden and prevented from availing themselves of the results of British skill and superiority in the construction of vessels when such a recourse was the only policy which could have enabled them at the time to hold their own on the ocean carrying with their foreign rivals.

[illegible] were the main causes. The secondary [illegible] may be found in the neglect of the [illegible] to adjust their shipping interests to the spirit and wants of the age. While other nations have made steady progress in relieving their shipping from burdensome conditions and exactions, we have done nothing of the kind, but have left our shipping loaded with weights in the shape of taxes and charges, direct and indirect, which it cannot possibly carry with any hope of growth and prosperity.

While the measures recommended by the committees in their reports will not of themselves restore American shipping, yet these measures are the first necessary steps. There is reason to hope that congress will go so far at least as to adopt the majority report, though the additional suggestions of the minority that all materials for building ships, finished and perfected and ready to be put together, should be admitted free, and that ships built abroad should be admitted to American registry, are essential to the best results.

There is a story that Jerome B. Chaffee, a bonanza politician of Colorado, in order to "get even" with the *Republican* and *Tribune* of Denver, will start an organ in that city with a capital of $500,000. He will find as others have done that the people won't have organs, and that money will not establish them. He may sink his $500,000 and still be as far from making his organ successful as from crushing the independent *Republican* and *Tribune*.

Among the smaller and more intense democratic organs of the country the cackling over the anticipated "victory" in 1884 continues. And yet if it were our affair we should feel ever so much safer with that bird in the hand, where it is not, rather than in the bush where it is.

During the fiscal year which ended on the 30th June last the postoffice department paid a profit for the first time in 31 years.

One of the arguments often presented for continuance of the Hawaiian treaty is this, viz: If we do not continue close relations with the Hawaiian Kingdom Great Britain will step in and through her commercial influence will soon obtain an ascendency in the islands which will result in their becoming practically a dependency of the British crown; and then Great Britain will have a naval station in the Pacific from which she will be able to menace the western coast of the United States. The weight of this argument [illegible] were certain that in the first place Great Britain would [illegible] the islands, and in the next place that such control would [illegible] any advantage in a naval point of view [illegible] what she possesses now. But in fact if the islands belonged to Great Britain she would [illegible] more advantage than she does already. She has a fine naval station at British Columbia right at our doors where there is coal in abundance, with other necessary supplies. In an economical point of view the Hawaiian islands [illegible] in a naval point of view their possession would give her [illegible] disadvantage. We certainly don't want the islands ourselves. It would be a trouble to govern and take care of them, and in the event of that supposed war with Great Britain, which is the basis of this argument for continuance of the Hawaiian treaty, it would be impossible to defend the islands. Our enemy would come along with a gunboat or two and take them away from us. We do not want the islands, and should lose them through the contingency which, as we are told, would make their possession important and desirable.

The new penal code of New York, which has just gone into force, prohibits "all manner of labor on the first day of the week except in works of necessity or charity." As might be expected those words are found to be subject to a very wide range of interpretation. It is left to police and trial justices to determine what comes within the meaning of the words. Thus, barbers arrested for shaving their customers have been discharged on the ground that "shaving is work of necessity," bootblacks have been dismissed, the justices saying "we cannot believe that the law contemplates the blacking of boots;" newsdealers have been let off without fines with the statement that the law was "not designed to prohibit the sale of newspapers," and so on. But the sale of beer and cigars is punished by fines, and peddlers of various small wares have been similarly dealt with. Of course there is vigorous "kicking" in many quarters against the law, but it is announced that it will be enforced substantially on the discriminating principles set forth above.

The opinion is entertained by some that even if the Hawaiian treaty were abrogated the San Francisco sugar monopolist could and would control the sugar market of this coast still, and would even be able to advance the price by the amount of duty added, since he could perpetuate his arrangement with the transcontinental railroads by which eastern refiners are to be kept out of this market. If this be true, then there is one more thing that congress can do. It can fix the rates to be charged by the transcontinental roads and forbid such combinations to rob the people as that effected between the railroad corporations and the sugar monopolist, under penalty of forfeiting their charters, and even their entire property. This is just what congress ought to do in any event. Railroads which were built with cash directly out of the national treasury ought not to be permitted to oppress the people in these ways, and would not if congress would do its duty. Abrogate the treaty and regulate the railways.

The secretary of the interior in his annual report urges the maintenance of the Indian schools. He says: "With 20,000 or more Indian children, properly selected, in our schools, there would be no more danger of Indian wars." A good idea. The children would, indeed, be hostages for peace.

The opinion is now expressed at Washington that the pension list will have increased so rapidly that $150,000,000 will be required to discharge it during the next fiscal year. At this rate there will be no difficulty in disposing of the surplus revenue for some time to come.

Langtry has got away from Boston with a big sum and goes to Philadelphia, where she will get another big sum. What is the old saying about some people and their money?

MEETING NOTICES.

Tiger Engine Company, No. 5.—Adjourned meeting this (Tuesday) evening, at 7½ o'clock. W. J. KELLY, Sec'y.

Columbia Engine Company, No. 3.—Adjourned meeting this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. R. M. DONOVAN, Sec'y.

Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.—Adjourned meeting this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. R. M. McMASTER, Sec'y.

BORN.

In this city, Dec. 18, to the wife of G. Cox, a daughter.

DIED.

In this city, Dec. 18, Walter Scott, son of James and Mary Ann Scott, aged 3 years and 4 months.

Funeral at 2 o'clock to-day from the Catholic church. Friends are invited.

San Francisco, Cal., and Salem, Mass., papers please copy.

At Milwaukie, Or., Dec. 18, at 11 o'clock, A. M., Mrs. Clarrissa Luelling, wife of Seth Luelling, aged 51 years, 8 mo. and 22 days.

Funeral from the late residence at 12 o'clock M. to-day. Friends are invited.

NEW TO-DAY.

HOLIDAY GOODS

WAY BELOW FIRST STREET PRICES, AT C. E. McBREEN'S. 1*

THE FINEST CHINA TEA SET EVER EXhibited in Portland at C. E. McBREEN'S, 149 Third street. 1*

ON ACCOUNT OF REMOVAL GOODS VERY low at C. E. McBREEN'S Crockery store, 149 Third street. 1*

LOST.

IN GOING FROM WEST PARK AND MONTgomery to [illegible] and Ash, a Masonic Keystone. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to M. W. FECHHEIMER, First and Ash. 1*

NOTICE.

WE ARE LOCATED IN ALBINA IN THE Real Estate business, and are prepared to sell lots for less money than any other firm. Can be consulted by mail. d19d1m HILL & PITTENGER.

Notice to Shippers.

THE O. R. & N. CO. IS NOW PREPARED TO receive freight for points [illegible] as far east as Wallula [illegible] Northern Pacific Railroad. JOHN M. [illegible], Sup't of Traffic. 1t

REAL ESTATE TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION, Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1882, at 11 o'clock [illegible]

TO THE PUBLIC. [illegible] KELLEY & HUGHES, Portland Carriage Co.

A GENTLEMAN WHO HAS A LARGE ACquaintance with merchants throughout the Willamette valley, on the Sound, and in Victoria, desires employment as traveling salesman—dry goods, groceries or boots and shoes. Address J., this office. 1t

CAPITAL BATHS, OPP. LADD'S BANK.

McCoy, Cheapest Job Printer, 1st & Stark.

LOAN. WANTED A LOAN OF [illegible] Apply to MANLEY & COLE, Real Estate Agents, [illegible] First street.

EAST SIDE BUSINESS PROPERTY. IMPROVED PROPERTY IN THE BUSINESS [illegible]

[illegible]

Chance for Speculation!

FOR SALE.

115 ACRES OF LAND [illegible] MANLEY & COLE, [illegible] First street, New Market Block.

NEW TO-DAY.

NEW YEAR'S BALL AND ENTERTAINMENT.

Under the auspices of the [illegible] MASONIC HALL. Monday Evening, January 1st, 1883. [illegible]

ON ACC'T OF REMOVAL!

Until Jan. 1st, Crockery, Glassware, etc., Plated Ware, Clocks, Lamps and Lamp Stock, China Ware (decorated and white), Toys, Notions, Wagons, Velocipedes, Doll Buggies, Albums, Work Boxes and Baskets, Music Folios, Glass Shades, Brackets, Picture Frames, and a large assortment of Holiday Goods, at prices lower than at any other house in Portland, plain figures. Call and examine goods and prices.

C. E. McBREEN, 49 Third St.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

OF Furniture and Fixtures at Couch Engine House, G St., near 6th,

THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 1882, At 2 o'clock P. M.

[illegible] 110 yds. Tapestry Brussels Carpet, 5 Splendid Settees, Desks, Tables, Chairs, Stoves, etc. EVERY THING GOOD AS NEW. d19

Santa Claus Headquarters.

MASKS ALL KINDS
GOLD AND SILVER FRINGE,
STARS, BELLS,
Wholesale and Retail.
165 & 167 SECOND ST.

[illegible]

We are offering a tempting assortment of Black Silks suitable for Holiday Presents. These Silks are from the best makers. A dress pattern of any of them will prove both useful and acceptable. Store open evenings till Jan. 1st.

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UPHOLSTERED GOODS AT AUCTION!

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE OF Elegant Upholstered Goods!

We are instructed to dispose of by auction, at the store taken for the occasion, No. — Second St., next the corner of Ash and Second streets,

ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON At 2 o'clock, and SATURDAY MORNING At 10 o'clock.

ELEGANT FURNITURE: Comprising in part, **Parlor Suits**, 2 Splendid Parlor Suits, elegantly upholstered in spun silk, plush finish, walnut frames. 1 Very Fine Parlor Suit, elegantly upholstered in cashmere, silk plush finish.

ELEGANT BED LOUNGES: 4 Splendid Hoey Patent Bed Lounges, finely upholstered in spun silk, plush finish. 4 Elegant Bed Lounges, upholstered in raw silk, [illegible] finish.

ALSO

Lounges 2 Elegant French Lounges, elegantly upholstered in spun silk. **Lounges** upholstered in raw and spun silk, walnut frames. Carpet Lounges.

EXTENSION TABLES: Black Walnut Extension Tables, 8, 9 and 10 feet.

CHAIRS: Beautiful Folding and Upholstered Chairs and Rockers; Walnut Chairs and Rockers. Spring and Wool Mattresses, etc., etc.

SPECIAL ATTENTION OF LADIES Invited to this sale. The goods are all new and finely made, and will be on exhibition upon the premises up to the time of sale. No reserve.

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RETAIL GROCERS,
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Complete line of Choice Groceries especially selected for family trade. PROMPT DELIVERY. [illegible]

We will sell until Jan. 1, 1883, the following Articles at Cost for Cash: GOLD PENS with Ivory, Pearl and Ebony Holders. GOLD PEN HOLDERS in Variety. FINE CHARMS for Ladies and Gentlemen. Also AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS and SCRAP BOOKS, Purses, Fancy Baskets, and a large variety of other Fancy Goods too numerous to mention. We also keep on hand a fine stock of IMPORTED CIGARS, Which we offer to the public at the lowest prices. CHAS. HIRSTEL & CO., d19 96 First St., opposite Union Block.

FORCED SALE. CHRISTMAS CARDS, STANDARD NOVELS,

AND

The entire stock of the North Pacific News Stand, next door to the Holton House, for sale at retail for the next week for 60 per cent of the original cost. J. D. MEYER.

MASQUERADE SUITS.

NEW LARGE AND ELEGANT ASSORTMENT [illegible] BARBARA'S [illegible]

J. M. WALLACE,

Manufacturing Jeweler AND DIAMOND SETTER, 151 First St., upstairs, over Skidmore's Drug Store, Portland, Or. [illegible] Special Attention Paid to Repairing.

JOHN A. BECK, WATCHMAKER & JEWELER,

[illegible] Repairing a Specialty. All work warranted. 144 First St., opp. Esmond Hotel.

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NEW MARKET THEATER.

[illegible], Proprietor and Manager.

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JAY RIAL'S Majestic Revival [illegible]

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN!

POWERFUL DOUBLE COMPANY. [illegible] Magnificent Scenery. Magnolia Jubilee Singers. [illegible] 8 BLOODHOUNDS [illegible] Grand Gala Christmas Matinee. [illegible]

PAVILION SKATING RINK.

PROGRAMME FOR THE CARNIVAL, SATURDAY, DEC. 23. Doors open at 7:30. [illegible] SCALE OF PRICES [illegible]

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

COUCH ADDITION. ONE HOUSE AND LOT; PRICE, $1,500; TERMS, one half down. Two houses and lot; price, $1,600. Terms easy. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison st. d8tf

KING'S ADDITION. HOUSE, LOT AND BARN; PRICE, $2200. TERMS one half down. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison street. d8tf

COFFIN'S ADDITION. HOUSE, LOT AND ORCHARD ON [illegible] street. House renting for $25 per month. Two lots and house on Harrison street; price, $600. Easy terms. Good lot on Second street; fine business property. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison st. d8tf

EAST PORTLAND HOLLADAY'S ADD. FOUR LOTS; PRICE, $800. HALF DOWN. Two lots, price, $750. Half down. Two lots, three houses, barn and shed, and well of water; price, $800. Terms, $200 down. Four lots fronting on Fourth street; price, $750. Terms easy. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison street. d8tf

TIBBETT'S ADDITION. 1 BLOCK; PRICE, $1000. $300 DOWN. Four lots, eight houses, near Stark street ferry, at a bargain. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison st. d8tf

ALBINA. 20 LOTS IN PROEBSTEL'S ADDITION TO Albina, for a few days. Six lots in Elizabeth Irving addition [illegible] TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison st. d8tf

FARM LAND. 10 ACRES 1½ MILES FROM EAST PORTland. Good house, orchard and fine spring of water. Twenty acres 5½ miles from Portland; 10 acres cleared. Ten acres 2 miles from East Portland. House, barn and orchard. Good road to the place. Fifty acres in Washington County, Oregon, [illegible] miles from Forest Grove, 1½ miles from school house, church, and 2 miles from the market. All under fence. Partly cultivated. Good house, fine well of water, and out-buildings. One hundred and seventy-five acres, 8½ miles from East Portland, at a bargain. TRUMAN & FRIEMAN, 28 Morrison street. d8tf

FOR SALE. TWO LOTS ON THIRD STREET, TWO BLOCKS from Morrison, one of the finest corners in the city. For terms, apply to L. E. THOMPSON, 106 First street. [illegible]

FOR SALE. 3 15-100 ACRES OF LAND, WITH HOUSE, barn, well and running water, one mile from Jefferson st. ferry to East Portland. Enquire Room No. 4, O. & C. R. R. office. d14tf

CHOICE GARDEN SPOT, 6½ ACRES, ADJOINing the City of Portland, west side, $2500. Five acres, five minutes' walk from Jefferson street ferry, with house and barn, $2750. Twenty acres near car shops, East side, $400. J. V. ALLEN, 21 First street, between Main and Salmon. d15tf

FOR SALE. THE BEST BARGAIN EVER OFFERED—TEN acres in East Portland, 15 minutes' walk from Jefferson street ferry. House and barn on it. Splendid location to lay the land out in lots [illegible] For sale for $2,000, at the Central Real Estate Office. SCHEMEL VON OTTERSTEDT & CO., d4w 44 North Front st., [illegible] Office.

TERRY, WHITE & CO., Real Estate Agents, 20 Stark street. (Office open evenings.) Offer for sale the following desirable Real Estate: [illegible] Two handsome lots in South Portland. $1000 Lot on Fifteenth street, Couch addition. $1700 Lot on Fourteenth street, Couch addition. $3000 Very handsome lot on Morrison street. $1500 Lot on Fifteenth street, near Watson's addition. $700 Choice Lot in Wilson's addition. $350 Two handsome lots in south Portland. $550 Splendid Lots in E. Irving's addition.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN. 205 ACRES OF EXCELLENT FARMING land near McMinnville, Yamhill county, Or. Good buildings, choice variety of fruit. Also, a good Flouring Mill in complete running order, in the heart of an excellent grain growing section, will be sold at most reasonable terms. Inquire of [illegible] WARREN & [illegible], McMinnville, Or.

FOR SALE. HOUSE AND GROUND, WEST SIDE OF Twelfth street, near Salmon. House nearly new, 15 rooms, modern improvements. Inquire of JOHN WILSON, 26 Twelfth street, corner of Taylor, or P. O. Box 784.

FOR SALE. DESIRABLE RESIDENCE AND INVESTMENT property in Portland. Fine lot in Portland City Homestead. Two fine blocks in East Portland. 25 Acres of splendid land, back of Albina; good residence property. 40 Acres, nine miles westerly from Portland. 2 FINE FARMS in Marion county. BURROWS, WEEKS & OLIVER, n18tf 4 Washington st., Portland, Or.

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REAL LACE GOODS,
Most suitable for
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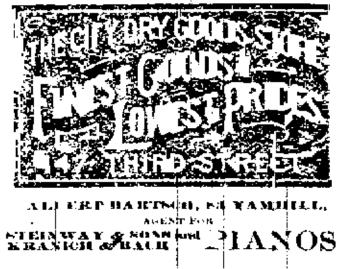

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WANTED MEN AND WOMEN TO START a new business at their own homes; no peddling; [illegible] samples and instructions. Address MASON & CO., Montpelier, Vermont. d30d12

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[illegible]

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WANTED BY A [illegible]

WANTED. A BOOKKEEPER [illegible] this office.

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WANTED A [illegible]

WANTED BY [illegible]

WANTED AN EXPERIENCED COOK, AND [illegible] North Sixth street. [illegible]

D[illegible] WILL [illegible]

WANTED A SMART YOUNG LADY AS [illegible] Central Market [illegible]

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WANTED A FEW GOOD AGENTS. ONLY [illegible] corner Fifth. [illegible]

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WANTED. A COTTAGE OR DWELLING HOUSE WITH 4 or 5 rooms anywhere between [illegible] and Taylor [illegible] Address Tenant, Oregonian office. [illegible]

WANTED TO RENT COTTAGE RENT NOT to exceed $25, within [illegible] walk of [illegible] Apply [illegible] Book Store.

SHIPS' NOTICES.

BARK "[illegible]" FROM NEW YORK. CONsignees of cargo by this vessel will please call upon the undersigned with copies of their invoices, pay freight, and sign general average bonds. All freight [illegible] and stored away [illegible] at the expense and risk of the owner. ALLEN & LEWIS, Consignees of Vessel. [illegible]

LOST.

KEYS LOST. A BUNCH OF KEYS AT THE P. O. SATURday night. Suitable reward will be given to any one returning the keys to the Oregonian office.

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS.

WM. STOKES, ARCHITECT, Superintendent and Surveyor of Buildings, First National Bank building, First street. Room 13, third floor. References—H. W. Corbett, Prof. R. W. Warren, J. First, Clark & Co., Dr. W. K. Smith, J. [illegible]

E. M. BURTON, ARCHITECT, Dekum's Block, Room, 20. Plans, Specifications and detail drawings furnished on short notice. Charges reasonable. [illegible]

H. W. & T. S. COILER. CIVIL ENGINEERS AND DRAUGHTSMEN. Special Attention given to City Work. Office—Room 10, Ainsworth Block, Third and Oak streets.

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C. B. UPTON & WM. H. UPTON, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Walla Walla, W. T. SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO COLLECTIONS in Pendleton, Centerville, Weston, Milton, Or., Walla Walla, Waitsburg, Dayton, Pomeroy, Colfax and Palouse City, W. T.

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$5 [illegible]

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TO THE LITTLE ONES!

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In order to show our appreciation of the liberal patronage extended to us during the past year, we propose to give to every boy purchasing a suit of clothes

A CHRISTMAS PRESENT!

Comprising Writing Desks, Tool Chests, Accordions and Toys of all descriptions. We make a specialty of

RUBBER GOODS:

English Light-Weight Coats,
Extra-long Officers' Coats,
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Velvet Embroidered Suspenders,
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165 & 167 SECOND ST.,
Between Morrison and Yamhill Streets.

THE ONLY PLACE
Where [illegible] Chocolate Caramels and Cream Drops, [illegible] and Pineapple Candies [illegible] G. M. SIMON, 94 Washington st.

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FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT, [illegible] SEVENTH street, between [illegible] and Oak.

TO LET. PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM FOR SINGLE gentleman, [illegible]

PLEASANT [illegible] ROOM FURNISHED [illegible]

FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT WITH [illegible]

BAY WINDOW SUITE OF ROOMS [illegible]

TO LET. PLEASANT [illegible]

TO LET. O[illegible]

R[illegible]

ROOMS FOR RENT. NEWLY [illegible]

TO LET—HOUSES AND STORES.

[illegible]

FOR RENT. N[illegible]

FOR RENT. [illegible]

TO LET. TWO-STORY BRICK BUILDING [illegible] near Washington [illegible]

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A DESIRABLE ROOM, WITH BOARD, AND use of [illegible] for gentleman and wife or [illegible] Yamhill [illegible] West Park.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

NOTICE. UNTIL NEW YEAR HOLIDAY PRESENTS [illegible] at [illegible] & KNIGHT'S, [illegible] Drug Store, [illegible] Morrison street.

LOOK OUT FOR THE NEW BLANK BOOK Manufactory. Everything [illegible]

COMPOUND OXYGEN. The most powerful Tonic, Alterative and Vitalizer known [illegible] Rheumatism [illegible] Paralysis; also completely restores lost vitality. [illegible] DR. JAMES KECK, No. 1[illegible], First street, corner Alder, Portland, Or.

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HYGIENE, HYDROPATHY, ELECTRICITY, [illegible] Vapor, Air, Electric and all kinds of Medical Baths at [illegible] SURMAN'S, 13 Morrison st. A [illegible] in attendance for ladies.

BURKHARDT & PAULDING, Pork and Packers, cor. Third and Ash sts., offer a full line of best quality of Meats, Hams and Bacon.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

KEEP YOUR BOOK BINDING FOR THE NEW Book Bindery [illegible] The best this side of Chicago. [illegible] MORTIMER.

COPARTNERSHIP. WE HAVE THIS DAY FORMED A COPARTnership under the firm name of Howe & Gleason, and will conduct [illegible] in future the stand heretofore occupied by A. Vo[illegible], opposite Union Block. [illegible] HOWE. [illegible] GLEASON. Portland, Dec. 11 1882.

PROPOSALS. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED on January [illegible] by the Trustees of the Vancouver M. E. Church [illegible] for the erection of a frame church building [illegible] at the [illegible] Vancouver, until Dec. 25th, and office of P. C. [illegible], Portland, [illegible] reserve the right to reject any or all bids. L. A. BA[illegible], Chairman Com. [illegible]

REMOVAL. MR. LA CHAPELLE'S BOAT-HOUSE HAS been removed to the foot of Columbia street, [illegible] new quarters he is better prepared to accommodate the public [illegible] at lowest rates. Boats of all kinds built to order, and a general assortment for sale. [illegible]

SCHOOL TAXES. THE TAX OF DISTRICT NO. 1, FOR THE year 1882, is in the hands of the School Clerk for collection, at [illegible] Morrison street, corner of Third. Taxes will be received until Saturday [illegible] evening. [illegible] CHURCH, Jr., School Clerk.

PROPOSALS SOLICITED. FOR BUILDING A LARGE [illegible] BOARDing Hall at Forest Grove, in connection with Pacific University. Sealed proposals [illegible] will be received for [illegible] materials, mason work [illegible] and painting; separate [illegible] or for the whole together. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Library of Pacific University, Forest Grove [illegible] Proposals to be opened at Forest Grove, on January [illegible] at [illegible] P. M. The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. [illegible] HINMAN, Chairman of com. Forest Grove, [illegible] 1882.

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ALBINA HOMESTEAD. FOR LOTS AND BLOCKS, SITUATED IN THE RIGHT PLACE, CALL ON MARSDEN & JENKINS, North First st., near Clarendon Hotel. n2d1m

W. WHITWELL. [illegible] C. A. M. [illegible] Notary Public.

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THE BEST AND CHEAPEST. Intending purchasers of property of any description on the East side, will find it to their advantage to call on E. C. BEAK before investing. Office in Post office building, East Portland.

NOTICE. ON AND AFTER OCT. [illegible], THE STEAMER "Daisy," [illegible] between Portland and Bellwood, will run as follows: Leave Bellwood [illegible]

Leave Bellwood		Leave Portland	
	[illegible] A. M.		7 A. M.
do	[illegible] A. M.	do	10 A. M.
do	[illegible] P. M.	do	2 P. M.
do	[illegible] P. M.	do	6 P. M.

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REUBNER & LEARY, Real Estate, Insurance & Money Brokers, AGENTS FOR THE ANCHOR LIFE STEAMSHIP COMPANY and MANHATTAN LIFE INS. CO., of New York. Cor. Front and Washington Sts., Portland, Or.

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All Colors,

[illegible]

Together with [illegible]

[illegible]

For Ladies [illegible]

AND NO [illegible]

Presents [illegible]

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FUR[illegible]

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The Oregonian.

[illegible] MORNING, DEC. 19, 1882.

CITY.

[illegible] FERRY.—The application of Dr. [illegible] and J. B. Montgomery for a license to [illegible] between Portland and Albina was heard [illegible] the county court, the county [illegible] and county judge. To show the necessity of [illegible] ferry facilities at the locality [illegible] applicants introduced as witnesses [illegible] Messrs. Geo. V. James, James [illegible] A. H. Johnson, R. B. [illegible], Wm. [illegible] J. W. Watson, C. P. Church [illegible] on behalf of the Multnomah Railway [illegible] against granting the license [illegible] witnesses were introduced. Messrs. [illegible] Joseph Haley, Foster and [illegible] Capt. Jones, of the [illegible] W. S. Chapman and [illegible] took the case under advisement [illegible] at its next meeting. [illegible] the granting of the license [illegible] that there was no necessity for [illegible] facilities, and second, that [illegible] would be compelled to cross the [illegible] by the existing ferry. [illegible] showed that Dr. Wil[illegible] was the [illegible] on the west side, and Mont[illegible] feet on the east side, and [illegible] applicable to establish the new ferry [illegible] with the other, and without [illegible]. And they claimed as owners [illegible] the right to have a license. [illegible] protested their witnesses [illegible] ferry was [illegible] traffic at the [illegible] Montgomery [illegible] having consented [illegible] license should be granted to [illegible] a new law should [illegible] ten years [illegible] exclusive. This [illegible] and property [illegible] and [illegible] in that it would place [illegible] under the control of [illegible] county [illegible] to license any other ferry within [illegible] side.

[illegible] JAIL [illegible].—Yesterday [illegible] Sheriff Sears and Jailor Doherty [illegible] court room in charge of seven [illegible] to be arraigned before the court [illegible] the man accused of murdering his [illegible] under sentence of [illegible] Rothe, who were taking their [illegible] in the corridor, asked a little [illegible] was employed in the kitchen, [illegible] to sit on, as they were [illegible] innocently handed them [illegible] about twenty inches [illegible] a man's wrist. These clubs [illegible] by Anderson and Baker and [illegible] of concealment that Bertha [illegible] in sight, called Mrs. [illegible] she had seen. Mrs. [illegible] her husband, who [illegible] in their cages. The billets of [illegible] in the "cooler" and on [illegible] about six feet long [illegible] person. He had taken [illegible] where it had been used [illegible] that it was his in[illegible] the sticks to try and [illegible] on the rear of the jail and [illegible] intended to use the [illegible] their escape at all [illegible] the credit of the plan [illegible] an accessory before the [illegible] pair through the cor[illegible] in future. It is about [illegible] away with in the jail [illegible] beds there.

[illegible]—A brutal and disgusting [illegible] street bridge on Sun[illegible] just as people were [illegible]. Three parties visited a [illegible] Streiberg, which is a [illegible] class of roughs and [illegible]. On being refused [illegible] windows. At length [illegible] themselves, and one [illegible] another in a fearful [illegible] with his family, were [illegible] shocked at the [illegible] terrible language used. [illegible] several times on different [illegible] case. The glass doors [illegible] and the proprietor was [illegible] sheol from yesterday [illegible] a smooth talking old [illegible] a very bad character, [illegible] intention of making a [illegible] keeping a disorderly [illegible] on his bonds who [illegible] of good character, [illegible] neighborhood and a [illegible] the assaults in the [illegible] says it was horrible [illegible] the blows as Rinehart [illegible] the affray was witness[illegible] appears to have [illegible]. It is a shame and [illegible] affairs can take place [illegible]

[illegible] was commenced in the [illegible] by A. W. Evans to re[illegible] the O. R. & N. Co. The [illegible] a passenger from San [illegible] company's steamship [illegible] was cruelly, willfully [illegible] and imprisoned and [illegible] forcibly placed upon [illegible] exposed to the rain and [illegible] in the amount of [illegible] for plaintiff. It [illegible] from Syracuse, N. Y., [illegible] the Queen by using [illegible] in the presence of [illegible] of the girls requested [illegible] a repetition of the [illegible] Capt. Alexander, [illegible] forward out of the [illegible] upon his disobeying [illegible] short time he was set [illegible]

[illegible] to the vacuum [illegible] since, a competent [illegible] the plans gives the [illegible] failure. The in[illegible] that the machine once [illegible] other words he has [illegible]. The stockholders of [illegible] however, have a differ[illegible] advanced from a [illegible] a share. Our re[illegible] any working model [illegible] has been made. [illegible] subject will be better [illegible] cost its promoters [illegible] failure, and it [illegible] this enterprise to be [illegible] go ahead.

[illegible] of I. R. Dawson [illegible] and National, the Con[illegible] Magdeburg insurance [illegible] the United States circuit [illegible] for Thursday, Friday [illegible] brought to recover [illegible] and stock of E. Eber[illegible], Marion county, [illegible] July. Mr. Eberhard [illegible] Dawson for the benefit [illegible] companies resist pay[illegible] burning. Mr. Eber[illegible] Portland, and has a [illegible] the merchants here, [illegible] does business, say [illegible] the charge.

[illegible]—Captain B. B. Tuttle, [illegible] railroad mail service, is [illegible] by our Salem cor[illegible] now all had arrived [illegible] found no difficulty in [illegible] reaching there by way of [illegible] Tuttle says he made every [illegible] the mails through, and did [illegible] requires in sending them [illegible] number of Salem tea have [illegible] since the break in the [illegible] passengers constantly con[illegible] before they flew.

[illegible] all the four hydraulic [illegible] Thompson & Dolph's new [illegible] and was tested yesterday. [illegible] feet per minute and [illegible]. The common speed [illegible] feet per minute. It [illegible] will come into very [illegible] account of the high [illegible] blocks will be built [illegible] elevators will be found as [illegible] old style.

[illegible]—John Dolan, the party [illegible] assault on G. S. H. [illegible] and on whose person [illegible] up in a handker[illegible] who last spring [illegible] for driving off in D. [illegible] found standing on Stark [illegible] of the penitentiary only [illegible] been arrested four times. [illegible] his case yesterday.

[illegible]—The Columbia water com[illegible] Astoria with water, yes[illegible] for eleven miles of [illegible] welded water pipe, the [illegible] elevator company [illegible] have two reservoirs [illegible] to give a fall of 260 [illegible] is intended that the pipe [illegible] in operation by Aug[illegible] cost is $100,000.

[illegible]—Mrs. Van Damme, the [illegible] the car shops last [illegible]. The wound in her [illegible] in, and it is thought [illegible] been unconscious for [illegible] recognize acquaintances. [illegible] a year and it be proved [illegible] the gun shot wound, [illegible] sentence, is liable to [illegible]

[illegible] committee on health [illegible] yesterday to consider the [illegible] made by the mayor at [illegible]. Some were ap[illegible] appointees will know [illegible] they are of these or [illegible] Policeman Cambridge, [illegible], not having been [illegible] the committee.

[illegible]—Regular mail trains on the [illegible] through yesterday, the down [illegible] hours late. They will be able [illegible] today. The O. R. & N. [illegible] Albina to the upper Colum[illegible] passenger train will com[illegible] not reach Albina until [illegible] train will leave in the after[illegible]

[illegible] On the steamer Oregon yesterday [illegible] while the vessel was lying [illegible] Donnelly, second assistant en[illegible] shortly after the arrival [illegible] death was heart disease [illegible] to San Francisco [illegible]

[illegible]—Willamette Lodge No. 2, A. F. [illegible] the following officers last night: [illegible] S. W., A. P. Dolan, J. W. [illegible] Chas. Hodge; Sec. [illegible] Masonic [illegible]

[illegible] GIFTS TO ALL. [illegible] music store [illegible] will be pre[illegible] any address.

THREE CHARGES OF PERJURY.

A FORMER LINN CO. MERCHANT REQUIRED TO ANSWER THEM.

Interesting Trial to Take Place Today—A Bankrupt Merchant Charged with Swearing Falsely with Regard to his Property.

The case of A. Wachenheimer, formerly of Harrisburg, [illegible] indicted by the United States grand jury for perjury, will be called [illegible] in the [illegible] court. [illegible] interest, because [illegible] first time in the history of bankrupt cases in this state [illegible] been indicted for perjury. Wachenheimer's [illegible] not to allow [illegible] place as [illegible] Moses [illegible] that [illegible] the case.

In [illegible] the firm of Sternberg & [illegible] of [illegible] city [illegible] with the [illegible] Wachenheimer "[illegible]" [illegible] with them. The perjury [illegible] August 27 last [illegible] Wachenheimer swore [illegible] he [illegible] Weinsteine & Co. [illegible] had applied [illegible] and [illegible] and that [illegible] at Harrisburg and that he [illegible] The prosecution claim that Sternberg also [illegible] Wachenheimer [illegible] & Co. that [illegible] partnership with Wachenheimer, [illegible] defense [illegible] that [illegible] in the [illegible] his partnership at Junction [illegible] the [illegible] his own capital, and the [illegible] partnership with Sternberg, who was [illegible] Wachenheimer [illegible] merchandise to the amount of $20,000 [illegible] Portland and San Francisco. Wachenheimer claims that he [illegible] of Wolfe, [illegible] & Co. for [illegible] $2,000 [illegible] 20, 1882, a period of eight months [illegible] having [illegible] stock was [illegible] by Wachenheimer [illegible] The attachment suit was precipitated by knowledge coming to creditors that he had sold part of the [illegible] to one of [illegible] clerks, [illegible] Holt, taking in payment a note for $[illegible], which he [illegible] to Jos. Sternberg, and another part of his stock to [illegible] & Sternberg, of Albina, taking their note for $[illegible], which he also assigned to Sternberg. These two notes were [illegible] by [illegible] being [illegible] in Wachenheimer's favor. The last named note bears date January 3, 1881, and both Wachenheimer and Sternberg swore that this note was executed on that date. On the testimony regarding this note, Sternberg has been charged with perjury and it is one of the charges against Wachenheimer.

The defendant testified that on account of a fire December 16, 1881, at Harrisburg, a part of his stock was removed to a vacant lot adjoining his store, and that he lost between $200 and $[illegible] worth of goods by theft, or from having fallen in the river. On this testimony is based the second count in the indictment.

The third count is that he swore that he gave a girl at Harrisburg between $[illegible] and $[illegible] worth of presents.

Wachenheimer made an assignment to Jos. Sternberg about July 1st under the state assignment laws, and the assignment showed assets of $[illegible] and liabilities from $21,000 to $22,000. On August [illegible], upon application of creditors, Sternberg was removed from his trust as assignee by Judge Boise of the third judicial district. Claims against Wachenheimer to the amount of $[illegible], held by San Francisco creditors, were assigned to N. Kohn of San Francisco, who began action in the U. S. circuit court and obtained judgment against him. Executions having been issued and returned "no property found," the plaintiff made application for the examination of the judgment debtor concerning his property. The application was granted and the matter was referred to Judge J. H. Woodward. The examination lasted fifteen days, and upon this examination the perjury charged is alleged to have been committed.

The United States is represented by District Attorney Watson, and Whalley, Fechheimer & [illegible] for the defense, Weatherford and Blackburn of Albany, and Williams, Hill, Durham, Thompson and Mays of this city, appear.

BRIEF MENTION.

The State of California arrived at half-past four yesterday afternoon.

A patent has been granted to D. W. Smith of Port Townsend for a safe.

Eli Wolfe, formerly with Cran & Co., is in the dry-goods business at Albina.

The river is slowly falling. The lower steamship dock is above water and is being put in order.

Professor McMahon's lecture on "Paris and her Monuments" has been postponed. Due notice of the new date will be given.

Some alarm was created yesterday by the supposed disappearance of ex-deacon Wetmore. He turned up all right in the afternoon.

A dispatch was received in the city yesterday stating that Mrs. G. W. Higgins, mother of H. W. Hiles, died at San Francisco at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Willmarding & Co., of San Francisco, are fitting up a wholesale liquor house in the old O. S. N. Co. block. It will be under the management of Cass. and N. Kohn, well known to the trade of the northwest coast.

Complaint is made that the contractor employed to fill the cavity made by the late storm at the corner of Market and Front streets is using improper material, street sweepings, chips, shavings, straw and other perishable matter.

Miss Cora Selby, a teacher in the public school at the car shops, East Portland, while alighting from an express wagon at the Jefferson street ferry yesterday, slipped and fell, spraining her ankle and severely bruising her side and shoulder.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

[SPECIAL REPORT TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CORVALLIS, Dec. 17.—Jeff. Simpson, a young man twenty-one years of age, was killed at a logging camp at King's valley last Tuesday. He was engaged in scaling logs on the bank of the Luckiamute preparatory to rolling them into the stream, over inclined skids. A large log was resting upon the upper end of these skids. He jumped upon the log which suddenly started and threw him forward to the ground, the log rolling over him. He was instantly killed, his skull being crushed to a jelly.

AMUSEMENTS.

Jay Rial's Ideal "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company, which played last summer to the largest week's business ever done at New Market, will open here next Monday for the holiday week. Since their former visit here the company has been strengthened by the addition of Fred. Bock, who plays "Simon Legree," and "Comical" Crosby, well known here, who has the role of "Marks." All the features which have made the play popular throughout the continent have been retained.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Geo. H. Johnson leaves this morning for Seattle, to enter on the discharge of his new duties.

Mr. Chas. Purver and his bride, nee Miss Nellie D. Glenn, of Fairview, Marion county, are visiting friends in this city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

Isaac Hill and wife to Milton McMillan, 10 acres in sec 24, twp 1 n, range 1 e, Dec. 18; $300.

J. Barnes and Mary E. Barnes to Mark Mallin, lot 4, blk 9, Co[illegible]'s add to East Portland, Nov. 28; $150.

Milton McMillan to Isaac Hill, 14 acres in sec 18, twp 1 n, range 2 e, Dec. 18; $300.

Clara L. Files to Richard Cunningham, 2.95 acres in Spring valley add to East Portland, Dec. 18; $[illegible].

W. F. Wise and wife to William O. Allen, lot 5, blk 53, Caruther's add to Caruther's add to Portland, Dec. 18; $[illegible].

Sellwood Real Estate Company to Miss Ada Vauner, lot 2, blk 30, Sellwood, Dec. 18; $100.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

For elegant presents in the furniture line we recommend buyers to go to H. E. Edwards, [illegible] Second st.

Christmas trees of all sizes, from 25 cents upwards, at Postoffice Candy Store. Call early and get your choice.

AFTER CARR.—Sheriff F. A. Sprague, of Oroville, California, arrived by last night's steamer and registered at the Holton House. He leaves for Salem this morning with the necessary legal papers for the removal of John A. Carr, alias Lyons. He will probably return by the afternoon train and leave with his prisoner by to-night's steamers.

O. R. & N. CO.—IMPORTANT TO PASSENGERS.

On Dec. 9, and until further notice, passenger trains will resume running on schedule time through to Wallula Junction only on the O. R. & N. R. R., and all points on the Northern Pacific R. R. Transfer boat leaves Ainsworth dock at 4 P. M.

JOHN MUIR, Supt. of Traffic.

A BRILLIANT EVENT.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 20, grand Xmas musical Holiday concert at H. Ackerman's, the public cordially invited. A beautiful souvenir will be presented to every person in attendance.

During the past four years WOODARD, CLARKE & CO. have been accredited by the public with having the finest stock of holiday goods ever offered in Portland. This year their selections surpass all previous efforts. Their stock, comprising every thing worthy of [illegible] for holiday [illegible] which having been made [illegible] offered in the city [illegible] will not [illegible] stock for [illegible] and see them, they think it no trouble to show their goods.

Uncle Myers has taken out of pledge all the large quantities of Diamonds and Jewelry that have been [illegible] for the last two years, and will have them on exhibition and for sale this week, so that purchasers can make their Christmas and New Year's presents. [illegible] First street.

Beautiful Holiday Goods at Cornelius' drug store, corner Stark and First streets.

Cornelius' display of Toilet Articles is unsurpassed by any [illegible] city. [illegible] First street.

Nothing [illegible] for a Christmas present than a nice pair of Diamond Ear-drops, for sale worth [illegible] at Uncle Myers', [illegible] First street.

[illegible] the display of Holiday Goods at the [illegible] First street.

[illegible] that Child's Drug Store has been established in Portland [illegible] years.

[illegible]

PORTLAND JEWELRY MANUFACTORY

[illegible] North First [illegible]. C. Pater, Prop.

All orders [illegible]

[illegible]

AUCTION SALE OF PEWS.

Last night at the First Congregational church was witnessed for the first time in this city, the auctioning of seats in a church to the highest bidder. At a recent meeting of the board of trustees, a plan was adopted to meet the next year's expenses. It was [illegible] that [illegible] at auction [illegible] and that [illegible] seats at $[illegible] per annum [illegible]

[illegible]

DAMAGE IN UMATILLA COUNTY.

[illegible] correspondent at Umatilla [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] about [illegible] Umatilla [illegible] bridges [illegible] washed away, and a large [illegible] damaged [illegible] county bridges [illegible] bridge [illegible] were [illegible] down [illegible] escapes. [illegible] and others [illegible] the trees [illegible]

At [illegible] a large stream ran between the town and the depot, and the lower part of the town site was flooded.

At Foster's no damage was done, as the water did not come to the hotel, etc. It was the only place on the Umatilla not flooded.

FROM UMATILLA COUNTY.

After the Saloon Keepers—Mulberron Murder Mystery Solved.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

PENDLETON, Or., Dec. 18.—The grand jury of Umatilla county today indicted every dealer in Pendleton for violation of the Sunday law. All pleaded guilty and were fined $10 each and costs.

One of the Indians confined in jail as guilty of the murder of Mulberron was this morning [illegible] to turn state's evidence, and has disclosed the whole affair. The parties in jail are the guilty ones. The remainder of Mulberron's property was discovered this morning by direction of the Indian above mentioned. The coroner's jury has been in continuous session for three weeks, but will doubtless adjourn today and report upon this evidence.

The town is slowly recovering from the effects of the flood, and railroad connection will be made on Tuesday, it is thought.

REPORT

Of the superintendent of the Oregon state penitentiary to Hon. R. P. Earhart, secretary of state, for the quarter ending Nov. 30, 1882.

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of officers and guards	$2201 08
Salary of physician	65 00
Wheat and flour	362 92
Groceries	306 48
Meats	576 38
Convict cloths, blank-sizing, dry goods	567 5[illegible]
Hardware and leather	442 [illegible]
Gasoline, drugs, oils, freight, etc.	231 08
Paid discharge[illegible]	128 00
Paid rewards for return of escaped convicts	1[illegible] 00
Total expense of prison	$[illegible]
Expenses on account of building shop	$2391 38

EARNINGS.

United States, keeping U. S. prisoners	$ 336 56
Geo. Collins, convict labor, 588 days at 50c, and [illegible] loads of dirt at 25c	544 00
Mrs. M. L. Savage, convict labor	5 00
Total	$ 887 68

Convict labor furnished state insane asylum commissioners, 3.5 days.

COLLECTIONS.

From United States	$ 359 81
From Geo. Collins	544 [illegible]
From Mrs. M. L. Savage	5 [illegible]
Total	$ 908 81

Average number of convicts during the quarter, 174.

Number of convicts at the end of the quarter, 178.

Respectfully submitted,
A. BUSH,
Sup't Oregon State Penitentiary.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

MONDAY, Dec. 18.

Tilton vs. Barrell, defendant allowed to withdraw demurrer to complaint and to file amended answer of Amelia J. Barrell; and defendant Colburn Barrell allowed till next Monday to answer. Amended demurrer argued and submitted.

Ignaz Lowengart admitted to citizenship.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

Dec. 14.

Court met at 10 A. M. Full bench present.

B. B. Branson vs Oregon Railway Company; argument concluded and cause submitted.

Savage vs Savage; argued and submitted.

Court adjourned until Monday next.

Dec. 18.

State of Oregon vs. Chas. French—Plea of not guilty.

State of Oregon vs. Ah Og—Same.

State of Oregon vs. Lee Lo—Same.

State of Oregon vs. Frank Wingard—Plea of guilty. Tuesday for sentence.

State of Oregon vs. Charles Jones—Arraigned and Tuesday to plead.

State vs. W. A. Har[illegible]—Same.

Angus vs. Home Mutual Ins. Co.—One week to answer.

Angus vs. State Investment Ins. Co.—Same.

Drucks vs. Drucks—Same.

G. C. Bilder vs. M. Marks—By consent demurrer to complaint overruled. One week to answer.

Castleman vs. Allen—Motion for judgment overruled. Judgment on the verdict.

State of Oregon vs. John Balbitt—Arraigned and plea of guilty entered. Sentenced to a fine of $50.

Barnard vs. Balfour, et al.—Motion to strike out parts of the amended complaint argued and submitted.

Watson vs. Brooks et al.—Motion to make complaint more definite and certain argued and submitted.

Hoffer vs Hoffer; default and referred to Seneca Smith.

Handler vs. Handler; decree of divorce.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours. The following observations are taken at the same moment at all the stations named.

PORTLAND, Dec. 18, 7:51 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom.	Change last 8 hours.	Ther	Wind Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weath.
Portland	29 81	06	[illegible]		04	Fair
Roseburg	29 97	02	48	S	.00	Clear
Red Bluff	29 91	03	49	W	.00	Clear
Sacramento	29 93	08	48	S	.00	Clear

Max. temp., 45.0; min. temp., 37.0.
River 18 feet 2 inches above low water mark.

Neimyer, the gentleman's tailor, 74 Morrison, received by the last steamer an invoice of new patterns. To look well, have Neimyer take your measure.

FULL SET OF TEETH FOR $10
Best set, $15. Teeth filled at low rates; satisfaction guaranteed. Painless [illegible], Room 34 Union Block, Stark street entrance. Dental graduates.

HAIR CUTTING.
Three of the finest workmen in the state are at Ferguson's hair cutting headquarters, 90 Stark street.

All the leading patent medicines can be found at Child's Drug Store, Second and Morrison.

Buy a "Genuine Singer" sewing machine. It is the best in the market. The Singer Mfg Co., 72 Morrison st.

Pure and fresh drugs and chemicals at Child's Drug Store, Second and Morrison.

Orders from the country [illegible] promptly attended to at [illegible]

In selecting Christmas presents [illegible]

[illegible]

Eastern oysters [illegible]

THE EAST SIDE.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

The board of trustees met in regular session last evening.

Present—President Myers, Cunningham, Crane and Sitker. Absent, Mayor [illegible] Sprague.

PETITIONS, ETC., AND REMONSTRANCES.

From Thomas L. Turner [illegible] asking for [illegible]

[illegible]

By Sitker: That the surveyor be directed to make plans and estimates for the proposed improvement of [illegible] street by constructing a sidewalk on the south side of said street from Water to [illegible]. Carried. Adjourned.

NOTES.

Recorder's court—Peter Simon, d. [illegible], $5 and costs; paid.

Dr. C. H. Smith was noticed on the street yesterday, after a severe spell of sickness.

Another crevasse is reported in the Albina dry dock, causing a temporary suspension of work.

The first boat on the O. & C. road since the suspension departed hence on time yesterday morning.

Mrs. Louis Brandt returned from California by last steamer, improved in health. She has been absent several months.

Carter Powell, son of John Powell, caused a cartridge to explode in his hand on Sunday by attempting to dissect it. He will suspend [illegible] for the present.

The recent rains have had a [illegible] dampening influence on the real estate market. It had been supposed to stand [illegible] with the Water [illegible]

The handsome prizes to be awarded at the firemen's masquerade at Neuhaus' hall New Year's night are on exhibition in the window of Welch Bros. drug store, and attract many admirers.

Mr. Chas. Smith having become interested in the hardware business at Dayton, W. T., intends to permanently locate at that place. After enjoying a short respite from business at home he returns to Dayton this morning. His family will follow next month.

CLOSE OF M. E. REVIVALS.

The protracted meeting which has been in progress for several weeks at the M. E. church closed on Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. [illegible] Salle, reports the result as very satisfactory.

J. H. Rob[illegible] & Son, [illegible] First street, have the best selected stock of Christmas and New Year's Goods in the city. [illegible] to call on them before purchasing.

Mince and Squash Pies for the Holidays at the German Bakery, 148 Third street.

Please don't mistake, but go down to Hildebrand & Anderson's, [illegible] st. and buy some of those pretty little dolls' hats.

The best pianos are the Decker & Son and the Behr Bros. and the best organs are the Mason & Hamlin, for all of which H. Sinsheimer, [illegible] First street, is agent.

No Christmas dinner complete without Eclipse Champagne; it is the wine of the elite and acknowledged equal to any imported brand. Examine cork and label.

C. PATER
Has removed his jewelry establishment to 75 North First street.

THE VIENNA COFFEE HOUSE,
No. 45, Washington St., leads all. Oysters every style.

Bailey & [illegible] when it comes to repairing sewing machines. No. 43 Yamhill street.

HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS.

Robes de Chambre and Fine Smoking Jackets in the very latest Parisian styles.

Choice Neckwear, including the Langtry, Cloverton, Altaire, Leontine, and all the new style Velvet Scarfs. The finest assortment ever opened.

Silk Handkerchiefs, including Merry Christmas, New Year, Embroidered, Hemstitch and Fancy Bordered Handkerchiefs.

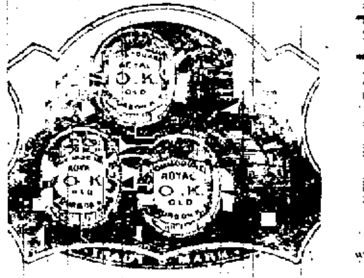
Suspenders—Embroidered, Velvet, Plush, Silk and Satin Braces, latest [illegible].

Balbriggan Underwear and Hosiery. Also, Fine Merino and Fancy Shirts and Drawers.

Night Robes, Fancy Percale and White Shirts, in all the latest Novelties at

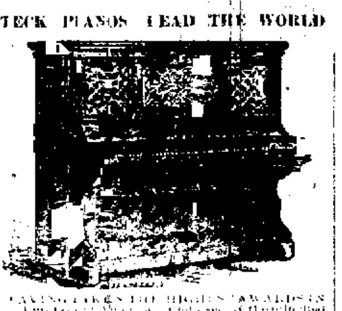
[illegible] KOHN'S,
THE LEADING CLOTHIER & HATTER,
Corner First and Morrison Streets.

MARX & JORGENSEN,
PORTLAND, OR.,
Wholesale Wine & Liquor Dealers,
Sole Agents for the Celebrated
COMMODORES ROYAL O. K. OLD BOURBON



[illegible] various other brands of Whiskies which we offer to the trade [illegible] direct from Eastern distilleries. Agents for
CAROLINA TOLU TONIC.
Direct shipments of Gin, Rum, Scotch Whiskies, [illegible] Port & Jefferson's Ale and Porter [illegible]

STECK PIANOS LEAD THE WORLD



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YOU CAN GET ALL THE MONEY YOU [illegible]

THE STORM IN BENTON COUNTY.

Several County Bridges Washed Away—All Streams Unprecedentedly High.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

CORVALLIS, Dec. 8.

The results of the storm in various portions of the county are just getting in. Three good bridges on the Luckiamute in King's valley were washed away and a large number of saw logs lost. The Yaquina and its tributaries were higher than ever before known by white men. Nearly every bridge on the stream [illegible] west of the summit is gone, and the road is obstructed in several places by slides. Settlers along the river lost considerable in the way of hogs, hives, chickens, grain and small cattle. Two grist mills [illegible] damaged. A large [illegible] on Big Elk at Elk City was damaged three or four hundred dollars, five or six [illegible] being lost. Two bridges on Mary's river are gone, one on the county road, and the other at [illegible] a private one. The loss [illegible] county bridges will not be less than $3000, and may be [illegible]. Max Frolich, proprietor of the [illegible] lost 100 saw logs. This freshet, so far as [illegible] in the coast range are concerned, was caused entirely by rain, there being no snow on the mountains.

The steamer McCully, in trying to pass under the wire cable of the farmers' ferry on Friday, [illegible] the cable. The [illegible] the funnel. The wire was cut to free the steamer.

Capt. E. Allen and wife, of this city, celebrated their China wedding on Thursday. They were treated to a [illegible] by their numerous friends, who went well supplied with useful presents.

YAQUINA BAY NEWS.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEWPORT, Dec. [illegible]

The heaviest wind and rain storm known for years has been raging the past three days, and no signs of its abating. The waters are unusually high. It is reported the bridge across [illegible] has been carried away. This bridge is [illegible] yards long, and cost the county $[illegible]. It cuts off travel to Newport except by water.

The citizens of Newport are intending to organize a life saving crew, and get from the government to furnish a boat and other appliances. If there had been a surf boat here six valuable lives would have been saved since the work has been commenced on the bar improvement.

The U. S. mails arrive (when they do) in a horrible condition. Many of the packages are so wet and defaced that their destination is undiscernible.

The Kate and Annie and Ora have not arrived. Both are overdue some time.

No [illegible] in town. Short allowance anticipated if this storm holds long.

REMOVAL.

C. Pater has removed to 75 North First street.

The Wheeler & Wilson "New No. 8" is the lightest running lockstitch sewing machine manufactured.

HURRAH!
FOR
CHRISTMAS!

Some will say that Christmas is far off yet, but a man only need to go around the Wholesale Department of
ALISKY & KRAEMER,
28 ALDER ST.,
And see what a big stock of
HOLIDAY GOODS
Are in store here,
FOR THE WHOLESALE TRADE ONLY.
The variety is too great to enumerate in detail, but we are there, and the country trade can't pass us, but [illegible]
Fine Importations from the Skilled Manufacturers of Germany and France.
Among the goods you can find
SANTA CLAUS of various sizes.
Imitations of Fruits, of Vegetables, Animals and Birds.
Christmas Candles, several assorted prices.
Candle-Holders to suit any taste and all.
THEIR OWN MANUFACTURE OF
CANDY HEARTS & CANDY TOYS,
A specialty with them, which ranks equal to the New York and Chicago manufactures, and one not well informed what they do make in their factory would doubt Portland's greatness in that industry.

Hurrah for Christmas
COMPETITION DEFIED
IN THE
Great Slaughter Sale
AT WEINKLE'S,
Cloaks, Cloakings, Dolmans and Circular Dress Goods in Great Variety.
Ladies & Misses Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Underwear.
Gent's Neckwear, Hosiery and Underwear.
ALL TO BE DISPOSED OF AT 75C ON THE DOLLAR,
OR LESS.
Everything goes. No reserve. Call early and secure bargains.
L. F. J. WEINKLE.
Not going to continue business after this month, I offer the stock at the above figures, which cannot fail to effect its entire clearance.
L. F. J. WEINKLE,
221 FIRST STREET, CORNER SALMON.

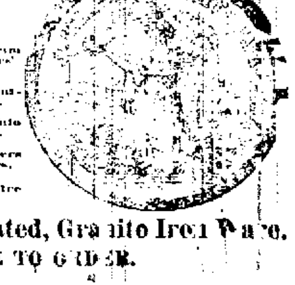
C. M. WIBERG, Established 1852.
A. E. HOLLABAUGH, Formerly of Champlin & Hollabaugh.
Wiberg & Hollabaugh,
145—Front St., bet. Alder and Morrison—145,
We have on hand a very large stock of
BOOTS and SHOES
From the following well known manufacturers:

Men's Goods.	Ladies', Misses and Children's.
LILLY, BRACKETT & CO., J. S. TURNER, HANNAN & REMLICH, L. DICKERMAN, HUTTON & BLISS, COX, YOUNG & GARDNER, BURT & PACKARD, REED & GLOSSMAN, BENKERT & SONS, CHARLES HEISER,	EDWIN C. BURT, HOLBROOK & CO., WEST BROS., "BRIAL ET CIE," Paris, MADON, Paris, KRIPPENDORF & HART, DENHAM SMITH & CO., S. D. SOLLERS, BURNS, JUDAN & CO., JURY BROS.

The above lines of goods are the highest grades made by Eastern manufacturers. In addition to these we keep a full line of Boots and Shoes made on this coast. We have determined to
REDUCE STOCK DURING THE NEXT 30 DAYS,
And the public can be convinced by calling early and securing bargains. No trouble to show what we keep, and if you don't buy we won't be angry.
We have a Beautiful Lot of Embroidered Slippers—nothing so nice for Christmas Presents.
During this reduction sale Country Merchants [illegible] advantage of it, and obtain some fine Boots and Shoes very cheap.
W. & H.

S. GOLDSMITH, No. 21 Cliff st., New York.
J. LOEWENBERG, Portland, Oregon.
Goldsmith & Loewenberg,
84 and 86 Front St., Cosmopolitan Block, Portland, Or.
MANUFACTURERS OF STOVES AND RANGES,
IMPORTERS OF
METALS,

Plumbers, Gas [illegible] Tinners' [illegible] Supplies.
[illegible] Pumps, [illegible] Ware.
Gilnes' [illegible] and Buffalo Portable Forges.
Tin [illegible] Ice Cream Freezers and Water Coolers.
Staple and Fancy Wire Goods.



White Metal, Nickel and Silver plated, Granite Iron Ware,
NICKEL-PLATING DONE TO ORDER.

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG,
149 First St., Portland, Or.
Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry,
SILVER WARE,
CLOCKS, SPECTACLES, ETC.
Nautical Instruments and Ship Chronometers rated by transit observations and repaired.

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PER CENT.
THE NEW YORK TEA CO.
Have now opened and will commence [illegible] Saving of at least
50 Per Cent.
ON THEIR
TEAS, COFFEES AND SPICES.
Superior Quality Guaranteed.
285 First St., near Columbia.

ROYAL
BAKING
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Absolutely Pure.
This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans.
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.,
106 Wall St., New York.
WM. T. COLEMAN & CO.,
Agents, San Francisco.

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[illegible] W. [illegible]
PRENTICE & CO.
LEADING MUSIC DEALERS.
We keep the Best Pianos.
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We send catalogues on application free.
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107 FIRST ST.
PORTLAND, OR.

[illegible] B[illegible] S[illegible] W S.

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GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.
DOLLS' BUREAUS.
DOLLS' CRADLES.
DOLLS' TABLES.
DOLLS' BEDS.
DOLLS' WARDROBES.
DOLLS' CARRIAGES.
DOLLS' SHOES.
DOLLS' STOCKINGS.
DOLLS' FANS.
DOLLS' PARASOLS.
DOLLS' JEWELRY.
DOLLS' HATS.

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TOOL CHESTS,
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VELOCIPEDES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.
WAGONS,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.
ROCKING HORSES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

WOODEN TOYS,
TIN TOYS,
IRON TOYS.
MECHANICAL TOYS,
RUBBER TOYS,

MORE TOYS
Than have ever been shown in any one store in Portland before.
WORK BASKETS,
WORK BOXES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.
SMOKERS' TABLES,
SMOKERS' STANDS,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

Reasonable Prices, Polite Attention, One Price.
Goods Delivered Promptly, Free of Charge.

SPECIAL BARGAINS
IN
EXPRESS WAGONS.

GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.
162 First Street,
10 and 12 Morrison St.

An Entirely New Line
OF
SMALL BISQUE FIGURES,
The Prettiest Yet Produced.

CHINA ORNAMENTS
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VASES,
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CELLULOID SETS,
FINE VELVET FRAMES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

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COLLAR & CUFF BOXES,
GLOVE & HANKFG. BOXES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

OPERA GLASSES,
PEARL GOODS, PEARL GOODS,
SEAL-SKIN PURSES,
RUSSIA LEATHER PURSES,
GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

CLOCKS,
CLOCKS,
CLOCKS.

SILVERWARE.

ROLLED PLATE JEWELRY.
BANGLE BRACETETS,
NEW STYLES VEIL PINS,
LACE PINS,
BABY PINS,
CUFF BUTTONS,
SCARF PINS,
STUDS,
CHAINS,
LOCKETS,
CHARMS,
RINGS,
NECKLACES,
EAR DROPS.
All New Patterns, Elegant in Design, and exactly as represented [illegible]

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OUR
UP-STAIRS DEPARTMENTS.

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Portland Jewelry Manufactory,
ALL KINDS OF JEWELRY MADE TO ORDER AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. PARTICULAR attention paid to orders from the country. Gold and Silver Plating [illegible] a specialty. [illegible] of Engraving. Old Gold and Silver Bought.
C. PATER, 75 North First Street.

FURNITURE.
F. S. CHADBOURNE & CO.
The most complete stock of Furniture, Bedding, Upholstery, and [illegible] articles in our line ever exhibited in this city. For office use, the [illegible] still in the lead. Sole Agents for the Celebrated VIENNA BENT GOODS. [illegible] our $75 Walnut Chamber Suit. The Finest ever sold in this city for the price.
CORNER FIRST and YAMHILL STS., PORTLAND, OREGON.

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GRAND, SQUARE, AND UPRIGHT PIANOS.
CAUTION.—DECKER BROS., WHO HAVE MADE THEIR NAMES KNOWN AND HONORED BY the public at large, and whose goods are recognized as the best, have suffered at the hands of unscrupulous parties, who make it their business to trade upon the reputation of respectable firms. [illegible] Pianos under such names. The courts of law have established beyond controversy that the only Piano known to the public and the Piano Trade as "The Decker" Piano (also known as Decker Brothers Piano and Decker Piano) is manufactured by Decker Brothers, New York. Decker Brothers and [illegible] Bros. & Co. Pianos and Mason & Hamlin Organs and other first-class instruments can be found at the Leading Music House, MINDERHOUT & CO., corner Morrison and Second streets, Portland Or. Our prices are the lowest known. Our terms are the easiest. Buy from us and save commissions usually paid to teachers and agents. We sell on the no agents plan. Call and see us. Correspondence solicited.

Dayton, Hall & Lamberson,
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Useful Holiday Goods.
SCROLL SAWS,
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HEAVY CALIFORNIA TREES,
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AGENT FOR
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REMEMBER THIS! THAT IT IS POSITIVELY [illegible]

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A wardrobe of over 500 Comic and Fancy Dress Suits for rent at reasonable rates. MASKS of all kinds for sale. Special discount to [illegible]. [illegible] PIONEER MASK DEPOT, P. O. Box No. 124, Portland, Or.

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Chinese and Japanese Lacquered Ware, Curiosities, Fancy Goods, Silk Handkerchiefs, Fine Teas, etc.
231 Second St., Between Salmon and Main.
Country orders promptly attended to.

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1882.

MY LADY'S PRAISE.

"I think Nature hath lost the mould
Where she her shape did take;
Or else I doubt if Nature could
So fair a creature make.

"If all the world were sought so far,
Who could find such a wight?
Her beauty twinkleth like a star
Within the frosty night.

"Her rosial colour comes and goes
With such a comely grace,
More ruddier too than doth the rose,
Within her lively face.

"At Bacchus' feast none shall her meet,
Ne at no wanton play;
Nor gazing in an open street,
Nor gadding as a stray.

"The modest mirth that she doth use
Is mixt with shamefacedness;
All vice she doth wholly refuse,
And hateth idleness.

"How might I do to get a graff
Of this unspotted tree?
For all the rest are plain but chaff,
Which seem good corn to be.

"This gift alone I shall her give,
When death doth what he can,
Her honest fame shall ever live
Within the mouth of man."
—John Heywood.

JEM MACE AND CONKLING.

The Famous Sparring Match in which the Noted Leader of the Senate was Knocked Out.

The presence of John L. Sullivan, the pugilist, in the city last week, says the Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Day, revives the memory of probably the only joke that was ever successfully played on Roscoe Conkling. During the senatorial term of the late Zach Chandler he occupied a handsome and commodious residence on H street. One of the rooms was fitted up for a gymnasium, and here after dinner Zach usually spent an hour swinging the clubs and using the dumb bells. Frequently his senatorial friends would drop in upon him. There were masks and foils for those who found pleasure in fencing, while for those inclined to spar there was an excellent assortment of boxing gloves. Chandler was a big, burly man, with a hand like a hired man. He delighted in roughing some one, and being pounded in return, with the gloves. Conkling was almost a nightly visitor. He was a clever sparrer, and in the exciting bouts between himself and Chandler usually came off victorious. On one occasion he punished Zach so badly in the presence of a dozen spectators that the giant Michigander chafed inwardly with rage and swore by all the gods on high Olympus he would be revenged if it cost him his fortune. The opportunity came sooner than he expected. Lawrence Barrett was traveling that season with a company of his own selection, impersonating a round of Shakespearean characters. In order to invest the play with as much realism as possible Barrett engaged Jem Mace, the pugilist, for one of the characters. When the company visited Washington, Chandler invited Mace to call at his house, where he unfolded to him the details of a plot to "put up a job" on Lord Roscoe. If successfully carried out Mace would receive a substantial reward. Mace consented. That evening Conkling dropped in, as was his wont. Chandler introduced the pugilist as one of his constituents, a lumberman from Michigan. Conkling murmured his pleasure at meeting any friend of Zach's, and then the pugilist was gravely presented to Senators Beck, Bayard, Morton and several other gentlemen, among them a well-known newspaper man. They were all in the secret, and were there by Chandler's express desire. Zach had planned the affair with diabolical coolness. Not only did he intend that Mace should "dust the floor" with "Conk," but he had invited his senatorial friends to witness the operation, which, through the journalist, would be read the next day with loud guffaws by an already prejudiced public. It required but a little maneuvering to arrange a set-to between the New York senator and the "lumberman." The latter, with blunt candor, disclaimed any knowledge of science, but added that he was "used to rough-and-tumble fights, and could give and take powerful blows." Conkling smiled serenely. Here was a foeman worthy of his steel, a veritable pugilistic diamond in the rough. He would show the assembled spectators how science could conquer brute strength. He removed his coat and vest and tied his suspenders around his waist. They took their places. Chandler acting as referee. Mace's position was one of studied awkwardness. He held both hands in front of him, and instead of bracing himself with one leg behind the other, both feet were wide apart, and nearly on a parallel line. Conkling's movements were the perfection of grace. He flourished his arms rapidly for a moment before Mace's face, and then, with a "Look out for yourself!" he struck a blow straight from the shoulder, but somehow it fell short. The lumberman, in his heavy, awkward fashion, had, by good luck it seemed, just moved back far enough to escape it. Conkling laughed and said, in a patronizing tone: "You did that very cleverly." A few moments of sparring followed. Conkling saw a good opening and made for it, but the lumberman clumsily avoided it and countered so heavily that Conkling measured his length on the floor. He came up smiling, however, and complimented the lumberman on his extraordinary luck. Not a suspicion entered his mind. In the next round Conkling succeeded in planting a few light blows on his opponent's chest, but was knocked down at the conclusion with so much force that he was unable to rise for an instant. When he rose to his feet it was plain to be seen that he was very angry, but he struggled hard to control his emotions. He was badly used up. His "hyperion curl" had lost its curve and hung limp and soggy on his forehead. His clothes were torn, while great beads of sweat rolled down his face. The spectators were ready to split with laughter, but were held in check by old Zach, who promised them still further sport. He then signaled to Mace to "go in." Mace did go in. He pushed Roscoe. He crowded him; he pounded him. He worried him so that at last Conkling dropped into a chair so weary and exhausted that he could no longer retain his legs. Then the pent-up merriment of the spectators broke forth, led by old Zach himself. They howled and yelled. You could have heard them a block. Slowly the truth dawned upon Roscoe that he had been made the victim of a ridiculous practical joke. Calmly he drew off his gloves, quickly he arranged his disordered attire. Meanwhile the laughter continued. He cast a withering glance of scorn and defiance at his tormentors, and then with the dignity of a prince marched down stairs. He never forgave Chandler, and would never allow even the most intimate friends to "chaff" him on the subject.

VARIOUS ITEMS.

The duty on a hundred dollar diamond is $10. The duty on a hundred dollars worth of blankets is $60. The author of our tariff must have begun life as a hotel clerk.

The Galveston (Texas) News infers from notices found in Washington newspapers that when a gentleman is elected to the United States senate his wife becomes much handsomer than she ever was known to be before.

The new suspension bridge across Niagara river is to be completed by September 1, 1883. It will be located a quarter of a mile south of the present suspension bridge, and will be used exclusively by the Canada Southern road, running in connection with the New York Central.

Mr. Longfellow's Joke: An impromptu by Professor Longfellow deserves to be remembered. Longworth of Cincinnati, joked upon introduction upon the similarity of name, when the poet replied with the verse from Pope: "Worth makes the man and want of it the fellow."

President Arthur is still held by the government for a deficit of $6000 in his accounts as collector of the port of New York, due to an error of a clerk. A bill to release him from his obligation passed the house four years ago, but never got through the senate. The present congress is expected to pass the bill.

"I'll teach ye better," said the irate and honest Scotch mother to her offspring, while larruping him savagely,—"I'll teach ye better than to steal an' get ketched at it." Is it a similar commendable determination that inspires the Washington authorities in their efforts to trounce the star-routers?

The new ship canal which is to connect the Baltic and the North seas will save nearly 600 miles of the water journey now made around the Danish peninsula. The cut as proposed, will be from Glückstadt to Kiel, and the length will be about half that of the Suez canal, or some fifty miles. As in the Suez canal there are several small lakes lying in the way, which will be utilized by the engineers.

A CHICAGO "TRIBUNE" ROMANCE.

Tale of a Chicago Girl and Autumn Leaves.

They were sitting in the parlor together and the clock had struck 11, and still he did not go; she had suggested that she smelled the coffee for breakfast; that the sound overhead was her father putting on his boots; that the morning paper would soon be left at the door, and still he lingered in the lap of the old arm-chair her father loved best. And he stared and stared, and sighed like a funeral, and wished he were rich enough to ask her to the minstrels, or even to a tea social in the back yard of the church, and still he maundered on about the lily's of hope, and vagaries of the future, and the heavy heartedness that sat on his heart this landlady's doughnut, and the irresistible yearning after the infinite forever, and that beset the thorny path of youth, and squeezed her hand at easy-so until she substituted the tassel of the arm chair. Then a weird, mysterious rustling was heard at the window, through which a slant faced moon looked with sad sympathy.

"Autumn leaves," murmured the young man, pressing the piece of upholstery his hand clung to, and listening with soulful ears to the rustling at the window.

"Does he?" asked the young lady with eager anxiety in her voice and manner. "Has she sense enough to leave before daylight? How I wish your name was——"

But the irony had entered his soul, and the place that knew him once knows him no more.

The Oregon Short Line.

Hailey Times.

There are no other than flat or platform cars run on the O. S. L. to the end of the track, now 25 miles east of Naples, or junction of the Wood River railroad, but many working men and others travel on the construction trains destined for Naples. To accommodate this travel which is increasing, a proportion of the travel near the junction, some enterprising Jacksonians have started a line of buggies or carryalls to run between the end of the track and [illegible] of the track. The road is a very [illegible] over the lava, but the distance is [illegible] which is [illegible] constant use between the two points [illegible] 12 hours. The end of the track is within [illegible] the crossing of the [illegible] stage road [illegible] crosses the [illegible] of the O. S. L. [illegible] Shone City. At the present rate of [illegible] which is at [illegible] per day, [illegible] not on the [illegible] road [illegible] miles from Hailey.

Affection and Confidence.

Chambers' Journal.

"[illegible] has said [illegible] there should be perfect confidence [illegible] at the other day in the [illegible] and related that he made it a rule to tell his wife everything that happened, and in this way they avoided any misunderstanding. "Well sir," remarked another gentleman present, "I do not believe in that; I am as open and frank as I am generous, "by a [illegible] so open and frank [illegible] for I tell my wife a good many things that never happen." "Ah," exclaimed a third, "I am under no necessity to keep my wife informed regarding my affairs. She can find out five times as much as I know myself without the least trouble."

PEN PITH.

Somebody says that "ballet girls are not so bad as they are painted." We hope not. They are painted frightfully.—*Boston Post.*

[illegible] says the man born to command is one [illegible] It is not so in the case of a [illegible]—*New Orleans Picayune.*

"What would you do, Mr. M., if your wife died?" asked Mrs. M. Mr. M., who is very methodical, [illegible] would bury her.—*Lowell [illegible].*

[illegible]—*New Orleans Picayune.*

[illegible] Why not [illegible]

[illegible]

In Chicago a man who [illegible] cold and from [illegible] taken care of [illegible] years. We [illegible] such swindling game here by taking [illegible] chance.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A new book is called "How to Keep a Store." It is a work of several hundred pages, and altogether too short to read it. The best way to keep a store is to advertise judiciously, and thus prevent it taking into the hands of the sheriff.—*Norristown Herald.*

An English paper complains that the Americans are too much inclined to make ridiculous jokes of the most solemn things. And we would remark in return that the English are somewhat given to making solemn things of the most ridiculous jokes.—*Texas Siftings.*

Vennor's almanac for 1883 lies before us. Don't misunderstand us. We don't mean to say well, what we do mean is that we have received a copy, and that it contains sixty pages of statements regarding the extent, quality and durability of next year's weather.—*Texas Siftings.*

Illinois is crying over the question, "Who shall step into David Davis' shoes?" The next senator may step into David's shoes, but by the great American desert, he'd better keep out of the old man's trousers if he wants to be found in time to draw any pay.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

A Kansas man, upon being roused from his bed at 4 A. M. to split some kindlings, indulged in heathen language, and wished something would come along and convert everything combustible into kindling wood. Next day a cyclone came howling along and knocked his house into kindlings, and yet he was not satisfied. It is impossible to please some men.—*Norristown Herald.*

The Religion of Ancient Persia.

Elizabeth Robinson in the December Atlantic.

The influence exerted in many ways of the Persian over the other Aryan creeds cannot be exaggerated. While Hindus worshiped impossible incarnations, and Greeks honored idealized men and women, Persians bowed down before a pure spirit. To the bloody sacrifices and elaborate ceremonies of Hellas and India the simple ritual of Iran offered an admirable contrast. Its great merit, however, is seen in its practical application to human conduct. Brahmanism and Buddhism, filled with thoughts of a future state of existence, gave little heed to earthly matters. Greece's religion made life beautiful, but was of slight assistance to man in his every-day needs. Zoroastrianism alone gave full value to the necessities of the present and advocated the sanctity of work and the importance of pleasure. The good effects of its healthy precepts were somewhat counteracted by its other doctrines. Once a people's creed is established on a firm basis it, in its turn, exercises a powerful influence on civilization. Religion in Persia occupied itself with the world and with human life, but its estimation of them was distorted by the strict division of all objects and forces between Ormuzd and Ahriman. Dualism was a stumbling-block to science and a hindrance to morality. A stimulus was given to the study of material things, but the scope of inquiry was limited. Certain premises were assumed as a basis for all reasoning. The task required of the Hebrews by the Egyptians were easy and possible when compared to those the Persian student set for himself. The magi's quest of knowledge was a labor from which even Hercules would have recoiled. Their efforts were futile because of their pre-formed conclusions. The idea of quantity in nature blinded them to the law of cause and effect. They referred all the destructive forces in the universe to Ahriman, and since they caused these as evils, it was impossible for them to understand the relation of death and decay to life and growth. That certain things, evil in themselves, may be ranked as good because of their effects, was beyond their comprehension. They saw in nature not a perfect whole, but a discordance produced by a power seeking to destroy all harmony. To them darkness seemed but the destroyer of light, and the winter's cold but a cruel foe that had blighted the beauty of summer's warmth. They could not look beyond the leaves that fall and the flowers that fade to the buds that shoot forth and the fruits that ripen.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

THE ESMOND.

Geo S Laird, San Francisco
E Block, do
S W Burdge, Seattle
E Ellinwood, S F
J Howe, Salem
D O W Barton, Ainsworth
F M Lombarsch, Seattle
S W Burns, S F
G W McBride, St Helens
R S Gardener, Bellefontaine, Oh
G P Beasfell, Astoria
H H Pierre, Forest Grove
G Wilson, Olympia
S W Stryker, Dalla
E P Morrison, Forest Grove
Mrs Merrill, S F
J Kelley & wife, S F
H Vincent, New York
S Shepherd, Oakland
Sol Abraham, Roseburg
W E Shaw, Minneapolis
O W Holts, S F
Mrs Miller & son, S F
S A Miller, St Helens
Thos Jeffries, Oakland
J W Glason, New York
Miss Vetar ne, S F
F G Ettinger, do
E J Taylor do
J S Miller, LaCentre
T H Tongue, Hillsboro
J R Gaither, LaCentre
Mrs Davis, Oak Point
J A Buchanan and wife, Corvallis
Miss Wellington, Forest Grove
J C Monroe, Tacoma
F A Bond, S F
Wm Rane, S F
L Meagher, do
C Tuttle, do
J Springer & wife, Santa Rosa
J Goodman, Gervais
R Malley, Salem
C Gessen, Salem
F. Pajor, S F
H M Thatcher and wife,
Miss Miller, St Helens

ST. CHARLES.

E H Henderson, Harrisburg
H Davis, Ellensport
S W Crofton, do
W W Jesse, New Era
Fred Wilson & wf, Ainsworth
J A Beard, Jefferson
J Burrows, Bachelor's Id
N C Long, Dalles
Jas N Super, Junction
G W Harbstolter, Albany
L Helmick, Parker
J P Teenan, Dalles
D H Welch, Astoria
E M Lambert, Pioneer
D W Sears, McCoy
J W Croden, Dallas
H F Bidwell, N Yamh Il
C Catching, Canyonville
Mrs A F Catching, do
E M Wharton, Col City
W J Mergham, Victoria
A McGraw, Bradbury's
H Dow do
Wm Humphrey and wife, Olegua
Mrs Cathin, Freeport
Mrs Proctor, do
F S Shelton & wf, Seattle
W T Heath, McMinnville
J H DeWolf, Philadelphia
J D Darling, S F
E O Alexander, S F
T B Pipin & wf, Dallas
Miss Annie Corless, Vancr
W S Lee, Junction
F D Pettyman, Salem
Geo Wright, do
E L Smither, Seattle
M W Hurt, Whitaker
T T Roan, Harrisburg
M J Carbeck, Seattle
M Werthmor, S F
C Crock, Harrisburg
T B Header & wife, Harrisburg
W A Dodson, Warrendale
Mrs Garrell, Harrisburg
H Wolf, do
Jacob Ogle, Salem
J Agner, Centerville
Sas Bata Mollala
Robert Kerr, Denver
E F McKelley, St Helens
M D Rounds, Carlton
P C Thompson, do
F M Sargent, Union
A Hinman, Forest Grove
Mrs G W Woodson, Amity
Miss M Woodson, do
J D Devlin, Astoria
W A Hall, Westport
H C Griffith & wf, Winlock
Mrs W Jackson, Westport
W B Morse, St Helens
Jas McEwan, Centerville
A B Courtney, do
H Hand, Farmington
G Jacks do
J W Kinney, Belleville
Chas Darling, S F
C Richardson, Colusa
D Lyons, Vancouver
W A Roberson, Sheridan
I Sanders, Junction
M Mayer, Mollala
H J Harding & wf, Or City
Jas Harris, Dallas
Burt Jackson, Seattle

LIBERTON.

T Norrley, Dalles
C W Lavy, do
H Lampson, S F
F Johnson, do
J H Dilmer, Nevada
W B Kneeland, Seattle
J Watt, Huntley
J T Newman, S F
W S Gray, do
W L Larrell, do
H Burrell, do
W I McConnell, S F
J Duncan, do
J Jackson do
S Mulderner, Dalles
J Tanack, do
J O'Neil, do
S Johns, do
L H Harris, S F
H Hesford, do
W H Brownlee
W H Swarding, Harrisb'g
Miss E Curtis, do
C C Laker, do
J McClung, Oregon City
G Thompson, Dalles
H W Ingalls, do
R Queeze, do
C S Budd, W W
Mrs E Brown, Hillsboro
Mrs J S Phillips, & 2 ch, New Tacoma
J T Norman, Jr, S F
Mrs W H Kneeland & ch, San Francisco
B B Douce, S F
C C Ferguson, S F
D C Nichols, do
Miss V Daley, do
L Manering, do
B P Quirk, do
W Waldron, Dallas
E O Hindley, do
Mrs J Harford, S F
Miss M Harford, do
D McCoy, do
D Blackburn, Albany
D Smith, do
W Phillips, Oregon City

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F Galliger, S F
J S Johns, Salem
F S Huff, Sandellas
J Gilman, Albany
C Hanson, do
L H Graham, Marshland
C M Graham, do
P D Brooks, Skamokawa
A M Briggs, do
G N Edwell, Corvallis
L A Loomis, [illegible]
H S Campbell, Olympia
R C A Elliott, [illegible]
R W Wilkie, Seattle
H S Little, Stockton
A Gonnie, Dallas
O S Durant, Sauvie's Isl'd
E C Taylor, Jacksonville
J M Edwards, do
F Hinton & 2 ch, Ellensburg
W C Thomas, Harrisburg
W J Lincoln, O & C R R
T C McMahon, Greenville
H Nickelson, Vancouver
J Marks, Washougal
W W Williams, Independence
T S Bonner, Sauvie's Isl'd
A Williamson, do
L Jones, S F
L Everett, Hillsboro
D C Daley, Vancouver
Miss L L Dailey, do
W Neeves, Forest Grove
H Gallagher, Carlton
F Frederickson, do
J Abel, Sauvie's Island
Mrs S A Hurst, Halsey
G W Murray, Albany
J B Hone, South Bend
J Critchley, E Portland
J Gear, LaCenter
J A Marston, Nevada
G Rohlin, S F
H B Bartnett, S F
J R Shaw, Oregon City
W B Reed, Cascades
J G Johnson, Salem
C F White and Son, Castle Rock
H Charlton, Sauvie's Isl'd
H Stafford, City
N Weber, Bonneville
M L Reeves, Jacksonville
M McEntee, do
F Aylmer, do
W V Smith
C M Fry, Aurora
J H Smith, Lewis River

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[illegible]

[illegible] WISTAR'S BALSAM [illegible]

[illegible]

JOHN [illegible] MOODY, [illegible]

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Portland, Dec. 18.

The wheat market is firm with [illegible]. Freights [illegible].

British Grain Trade.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Mark Lane Express, in its review of the British grain trade for the past week says: The weather was mild [illegible] and [illegible] land [illegible] The [illegible] almost invariably [illegible] generally [illegible] The [illegible] trade [illegible] prices are well maintained. [illegible] has been [illegible] supply [illegible] Trade in [illegible] is very quiet. [illegible] reduction [illegible] sales [illegible] past week were [illegible] quarters at [illegible] during the corresponding period last year.

Money Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Sterling exchange on London bankers, 60 days, $4 80½; documentary, $4 80.

Transfers, 25.

Bank of England rate of interest, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Sterling exchange, prime bankers, long, 4 81½; short, 4 84½.

Governments [illegible] lower; 4s, [illegible] to 1 per cent lower.

U. S. Bonds—[illegible]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Silver bullion, English standard, [illegible] per ounce, 50 7-16d.

U. S. bonds [illegible]

Consols, 100 [illegible] for money [illegible]

Money, Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Bar silver, $1 08¾; money [illegible]; stocks generally closed [illegible]; governments unchanged; Pacific firm. Western Union 81; quicksilver [illegible]; Pacific Mail [illegible]; Wells Fargo 130; N. Y. Central 131¾; Erie 39; Panama 167; Denver & Rio Grande 43¾; Union Pacific 1[illegible]; bonds 115[illegible]; Central Pacific 87¾; bonds 115½; Sutro [illegible].

San Francisco Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.

Receipts—Wheat, 17,580 ctls; Flour, [illegible] qr sks; oats, 1000 ctls; potatoes, 1500 sks; eggs, 11,860 doz.

Wheat—Quiet but firm; No. 1 white, $1 75@1 77½; No. 2 milling, $1 65@1 62½; No. 1 white buyer December, $1 [illegible]. [illegible] buyer February, $1 [illegible]. [illegible] white, $1 [illegible] @ jobbing, $1 75@1 80, demand is fair.

Barley—No. 2 feed, quiet with prices against sellers; quoted $1 32½@1 37½; No. 1 feed January, $1 37½; March, $1 40.

Oats—Quiet, with no disposition on the part of holders to grant concessions; prices unchanged.

Potatoes—Petalumas and Cuffeys, 50c@$1 05; Cuffeys River, $1 10@1 17; stocks are not large but in excess of demand.

Onions—50c@$1 00; market poorly supplied with choice.

Hides—Dry, usual selection, 18c@19c; market quiet.

Salmon—Business only jobbing. Australian steamer takes 1500 cases.

Eggs—A little firmer, but quotations are unchanged.

Butter—37½c@40c for fresh roll, market well supplied.

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For Liverpool, Havre or Antwerp, Ambassador, Hagarstown, 35s; to Cork for orders, 37s 6d.

[illegible]

Quiet, steady at last quotations.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.

Wheat—Lower, 92 [illegible] January.
Pork—Lower, $17 [illegible] January.
Lard—Steady, $10 32½@10 35 January.
Ribs—Lower, $8 [illegible] January.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.

Wheat—Weak and dull, $1 05@1 10.

Beerbohm's English Market Report.

LONDON, Dec. 18.

Floating cargoes—Dull.
Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Weak.
Mark Lane—Slow.
French country markets—Quiet.
Farmers' deliveries of wheat past week between 15,000 and 20,000 qrs.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18.

Spot market—Slow.
No. 1 Standard California, per cental, 10s 2d.

Petroleum Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Petroleum, dull; crude, [illegible] 7½; refined, 7¾@8; United pipe, 96.

Copper and Tin.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Australian tin, 21; copper, steady, 18½.

Baltimore Copper Market.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.—Copper steady, 17½.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Arrived—[illegible] P. M., str Oregon, [illegible] hours from Portland.

Saturday—Am ship Oracle, New York; Dutch Utrecht, Hamburg; bktn Ella, Honolulu; schr Staghound, [illegible] Island.

Sailed—Str War Hawk, Port Discovery. Sunday—Str Willamette, Seattle; bktn [illegible] Anchor, Samoa; bktn W H Dimond, Kahului.

Monday—Str Bright, Hongkong; Br Granada, Panama.

Saturday—Str Gaelic, Hongkong; Br sh Equator, Cork, [illegible] Geraldine George, Tork [illegible]

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 16—Sailed—[illegible] sh Nestor [illegible] S F.

Spoken—Nov. 8, lat 20 N, long [illegible], Am sh Reaper, 87 days out from Philadelphia for Portland.

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 18.—Cleared—Am sh J F Chapman, San Francisco.

SYDNEY, Dec. 15.—Arrived—St. Zealandia, S F.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16—Cleared—Am sh Berlin, San Francisco.

BREMEN, Dec. 7—Sailed—Ger sk Schiller, S F.

Maritime Miscellany.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Dec. 18.—The steamer Switzerland, from Antwerp for New York, passed Cape Race this morning. She reports fine weather the past week. The steamers Mississippi and Dominion, bound to Liverpool, passed this afternoon.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The steamer Ethiopia arrived at Moville from New York and grounded in Lough Foyle on the way to Glasgow.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The steamer Crest was totally wrecked on the Isle of Saint Sebastian. The crew were saved.

GLASGOW, Dec. 18.—An unknown vessel was wrecked on the Kincardine coast and the crew lost.

MINING STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.

Curry	2¾	Jack 4	1¼
Mexican	8½	Belcher	70c
Ophir	2½	Utah	6
Union	3½	Dish	35
Eureka	10¼	Belle	25c

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.

Pacific Mail	43¾	Western Union	81¼
Northwestern	[illegible]	Lake Shore	117
North Pacific	44½	North Pacific pfd	88½
Erie	39¼	N. Y. Central	131
Trans Continental	[illegible]	Oregon Short Stock	[illegible]
Or. Imp. bonds	94½		

Mining Stocks in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Mining stocks dull; Sierra Grande declined from [illegible]; Hull and Alberta [illegible] Horn Silver [illegible]; Standard [illegible]; Bulwer [illegible]; Horn Silver [illegible]; Sales 50,000 shares.

Martin Ross, who appears to be a dangerous character, stabbed and killed Frederick Horseman, at New York, as the result of a quarrel over a poker game in which Ross had lost 7 cents.

Governor elect Cleveland of New York, has tendered an appointment on his staff to Samuel J. Tilden, Jr., nephew of ex-Governor Tilden, and the same has been accepted.

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Editor of Evening Post:

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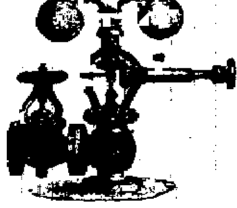

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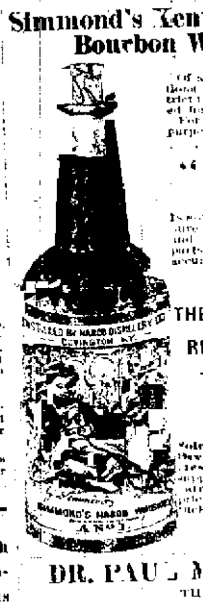

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"I think Nature hath lost the mould,
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So fair a creature make.

"If all the world were sought so far,
Who could find such a wight?
Her beauty twinkleth like a star
Within the frosty night.

"Her [illegible]
With [illegible]
More [illegible]
Within her lively face.

"At Bacchus' feast none shall her meet,
Ne at no wanton play,
Nor gazing in an open street,
Nor gadding as a stray.

"The modest mirth that she doth use
Is mixed with shamefastness;
All vice she doth wholly refuse,
And hateth idleness.

"How might I do to get a graff
Of this unspotted tree?
For all the rest are plain but chaff
Which seem good corn to be.

"This gift alone I shall her give,
When Death doth what he can,
Her honest fame shall ever live
Within the mouth of man."

—*John Heywood.*

JEM MACE AND CONKLING.

The Famous Sparring Match in which the Cultured Leader of the Senate was Knocked Out.

The presence of John L. Sullivan, the pugilist, in the city last week, says the Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Day*, revives the memory of probably the only joke that was ever successfully played on Roscoe Conkling. During the senatorial term of the late Zach Chandler he occupied a handsome and commodious residence on H street. One of the rooms was fitted up for a gymnasium, and here after dinner Zach usually spent an hour swinging the clubs and using the dumb bells. Frequently his senatorial friends would drop in upon him. There were masks and foils for those who found pleasure in fencing, while for those inclined to spar there was an excellent assortment of boxing gloves. Chandler was a big, burly man, with a hand on him like a hired man. He delighted to rough some one or being pounded in return, with the gloves. Conkling was almost a nightly visitor. He was a clever sparrer, and in the exciting bouts between himself and Chandler usually came off victorious. On one occasion he punished Zach so badly in the presence of a dozen spectators that the giant Michigander foamed inwardly with rage and swore by all the gods on high Olympus he would be revenged if it cost him his fortune. The opportunity came sooner than he expected. Lawrence Barrett was traveling that season with a company of his own selection, impersonating a round of Shakespearean characters. In order to invest the play with as much realism as possible Barrett engaged Jem Mace, the pugilist, for one of the characters. When the company visited Washington, Chandler invited Mace to call at his house, where he unfolded to him the details of a plot to "put up a job" on Lord Roscoe. If successfully carried out Mace would receive a substantial reward. Mace consented. That evening Conkling dropped in as was his wont. Chandler introduced the pugilist as one of his constituents, a lumberman from Michigan. Conkling murmured his pleasure at meeting any friend of Zach's, and then the pugilist was gravely presented to Senators Beck, Bayard, Morton and several other gentlemen, among them a well known newspaper man. They were all in the secret, and were there by Chandler's express desire. Zach had planned the affair with diabolical coolness. Not only did he intend that Mace should "dust the floor" with "Conk," but he had invited his senatorial friends to witness the operation which, through the journalist, would be read the next day with loud guffaws by an already prejudiced public. It required but a little maneuvering to arrange a set-to between the New York senator and the "lumberman." The latter, with blunt candor, disclaimed any knowledge of science, but added that he was "used to rough-and-tumble fights, and could give and take powerful blows." Conkling smiled serenely. Here was a Vermont worthy of his steel, a veritable pugilistic diamond in the rough. He would show the assembled spectators how science could conquer brute strength. He removed his coat and vest and tied his suspenders around his waist. They took their places, Chandler acting as referee. Mace's position was one of studied awkwardness. He held both hands in front of him, and instead of bracing himself with one leg behind the other, both feet were wide apart, and nearly on a parallel line. Conkling's movements were the perfection of grace. He lowered his fists rapidly for a moment before Mace's face, and then with a "Look out for yourself" he struck a blow straight from the shoulder. But somehow it fell short. The lumberman, in his heavy, awkward fashion, had, by good luck, it seemed, just moved back far enough to escape it. Conkling laughed and said, in a patronizing tone: "You did that very cleverly." A few moments of sparring followed. Conkling saw a good opening and made for it, but the lumberman clumsily avoided it and scampered so heavily that Conkling measured his length on the floor. He came up smiling, however, and complimented the lumberman on his extraordinary luck. Not a suspicion entered his mind. In the next round Conkling succeeded in planting a few light blows on his opponent's chest, but was knocked down at the conclusion with such force that he was unable to rise for an instant. When he rose to his feet it was plain to be seen that he was very angry, but he struggled hard to control his emotions. He was badly used up. His "Hyperion curl" had lost its curve and hung limp and soggy on his forehead. His clothes were torn, while great beads of sweat rolled down his face. The spectators were ready to split with laughter, but were held in check by old Zach, who urged them still farther sport. He then signaled to Mace to "go in." Mace did go in. He pushed Roscoe. He crowded him; he pounded him. He worried him so that at last Conkling dropped into a chair so weak and exhausted that he could no longer stand on his legs. Then the pent-up merriment of the spectators broke forth, led by old Zach himself. They howled and yelled. You could have heard them a block. Slowly the truth dawned upon Roscoe that he had been made the victim of a ridiculous practical joke. Calmly he drew off his gloves; quietly he arranged his disordered attire. Meanwhile the laughter continued. He cast a withering glance of scorn and defiance at his tormentors, and then with the dignity of a prince marched down stairs. He never forgave Chandler, and would never allow even his most intimate friends to "chaff" him on the subject.

VARIOUS ITEMS.

The duty on a hundred dollar diamond is $10. The duty on a hundred dollars worth of blankets is $88. The author of our tariff must have begun life as a hotel clerk.

The Galveston (Texas) *News* infers from notices found in Washington newspapers that when a gentleman is elected to the United States senate his wife becomes on a sudden handsomer than she ever was known to be before.

The new suspension bridge across Niagara river is to be completed by September 1, 1883. It will be located a quarter of a mile south of the present suspension bridge, and will be used exclusively by the Canada Southern road, running in connection with the New York Central.

Mr. Longfellow's Joke: An impromptu by Professor Longfellow deserves to be remembered. Longworth, of Cincinnati, joked upon introduction upon the similarity of name, when the poet replied with the verse from Pope: "Worth makes the man and want of it the fellow."

President Arthur is still held by the government for a deficit of $5000 in his accounts as collector of the port of New York, due to an error of a clerk. A bill to release him from his obligation passed the house four years ago, but never got through the senate. The present congress is expected to pass the bill.

"I'll teach ye better," said the irate and horsewhip Senegambian mother to her offspring, while larruping him savagely—"I'll teach yo better than to steal—an' get ketched at it!" Is it a similar commendable determination that inspires the Washington authorities in their efforts to trounce the star routers?

The new ship canal which is to connect the Baltic and the North seas will save nearly 600 miles of the water journey now made around the Danish peninsula. The cut as proposed, will be from Gluckstadt to Kiel, and the length will be about half that of the Suez canal, or some fifty miles. As in the Suez canal, there are several small lakes lying in the way, which will be utilized by the engineers.

A CHICAGO "TRIBUNE" ROMANCE.

Tale of a Chicago Girl and Autumn Leaves.

They were sitting in the parlor together and the clock had struck 11, and still he did not go. She had suggested that she smelled the coffee for breakfast; that the sound overhead was her father putting on his boots; that the morning paper would soon be left at the door, and still he lingered in the easy old arm-chair her father loved. [illegible] and stared, and sighed like a funeral, and wished he were rich enough to ask her to the minstrels, or even to a tea social in the back yard of the church, and still he maundered on about the riddle of hope and vagaries of the future and the heavy heartedness that sat on his heart this landlady's doughnuts, and the irresistible yearning after the [illegible] river and that beset the thorny path of youth, and squeezed her hand at each key-to-unit [illegible] substituted the tassel of the arm-chair. "Tara wood," a mysterious rustling was heard at the window, through which a silent [illegible] moon looked with a sad sympathy.

"Autumn leaves," murmured the young man, pressing the piece of upholstery his hand clung to, and listening with soulful ears to the rustling at the window.

"Does she?" asked the young lady, with eager anxiety in her voice and manner. "Has she sense enough to leave before daylight? How I wish your name was——"

But the irony had entered his soul, and the place that knew him once knows him no more.

The Oregon Short Line.

Hailey Times.

There are no other than [illegible] platforms on [illegible] the O. S. L. to the end of the track, now [illegible] east of Naples, or Junction of the Wood River railroad, but many working in and others travel on the construction train at [illegible] Naples. [illegible] to regulate this travel, which is [illegible] portion as the track nears the junction [illegible] passing hacks now have started a [illegible] carryalls, to run between the [illegible] end of the track. [illegible] but the distance is [illegible] which is in constant use between the two points [illegible] 12 hours. The end of the track [illegible] the crossing of the [illegible] crosses the grade of the [illegible] Shoshone City. At the present [illegible] which is a mile per day [illegible] days from Hailey.

Affection and Confidence.

Chambers Journal.

Some one has said that the happiness of men largely depends on mutual confidence. At a [illegible] evening on a[illegible] in the coffee-room of [illegible] and it was noted that the [illegible] everything that happened, and in this way they avoided all misunderstanding. "Well, sir," remarked another gentleman present, "not to be outdone in generosity, if you are not so open and frank as I am, for I tell my wife a good many things she never has been told," exclaimed a third, "I am under no necessity to keep my wife informed regarding my affairs. She can find out five times as much as I know myself without the least trouble."

PRESS PITH.

Somebody says that "ballet girls are not so bad as they are painted." We hope not. They are painted frightfully.—*Boston Post.*

Some one says the man best fitted to remain single is one made to order. It is not so in the case of a shirt, however.—*New Haven Register.*

"What would you do, Mr. M., if your wife died?" asked Mrs. [illegible] of Mr. M., who is very much of an old widower. "I would bury her."—[illegible]

[illegible] a mother died [illegible] old year. One of them has been arrested for selling adulterated milk.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A young girl in the [illegible] station is described as [illegible] remarkable [illegible] why not [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] taken care of for [illegible] change.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A new book is called "How to Keep a Store." It is a work of several hundred pages, and [illegible] to read it. The best way to keep a store is to advertise judiciously, and then prevent it being got into the hands of the sheriff.—*Norristown Herald.*

An English paper complains that the Americans are too much inclined to make ridiculous jokes of the most solemn things. And we would remark in return that the English are somewhat given to making solemn things of the most ridiculous jokes.—*Texas Siftings.*

Vennor's almanac for 1883 lies before us. Don't misunderstand us. We don't mean to say we lie, what we do mean is that we have received a copy, and that it contains sixty pages of statements regarding the extent, quality and durability of next year's weather.—*Texas Siftings.*

Illinois is worrying over the question, "Who shall step into David Davis' shoes?" The next senator may step into David's shoes, but by the great American desert, he'd better keep out of the old man's trousers if wants to be found in time to draw any pay.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

A Kansas man, upon being roused from his bed at 3 A. M. to split some kindlings, indulged in heathen language, and wished something would come along and convert everything combustible into kindlings and wood. Next day a cyclone came howling along and knocked his house into kindlings, and yet he was not satisfied. It is impossible to please some men.—*Norristown Herald.*

The Religion of Ancient Persia.

Elizabeth Robins in the December Atlantic.

The superiority in many ways of the Persian over the other Aryan creeds cannot be exaggerated. While Hindus worshiped impossible monstrosities, and Greeks honored idealized men and women, Persians bowed down before a pure spirit. To the bloody sacrifices and elaborate ceremonies of Hellas and India the simple ritual of Iran offered an admirable contrast. Its great merit, however, is seen in its practical application to human conduct. Brahmanism and Buddhism, filled with thoughts of a future state of existence, gave little heed to earthly matters. In Greece religion made life beautiful, but was of slight assistance to man in his every-day needs. Zoroastrianism alone gave full value to the necessities of the present and advocated the sanctity of work and the importance of pleasure. The good effects of its healthy precepts were somewhat counteracted by its other doctrines. Once a people's creed is established on a firm basis it, in its turn, exercises a powerful influence on civilization. Religion in Persia occupied itself with the world and with human life, but its estimation of them was distorted by its strict division of all objects and forces between Ormuzd and Ahriman. Dualism was a stumbling-block to science and a hindrance to morality. A stimulus was given to the study of material things, but the deeper inquiry was limited. Certain premises were assumed as a basis for all reasoning. The tasks required of the Hebrews by the Egyptians were easy and possible when compared to those the Persian student set for himself. The magi's quest of knowledge was a labor from which even Hercules would have recoiled. Their efforts were futile because of their preformed conclusions. The idea of causality in nature blinded them to the law of cause and effect. They referred all the destructive forces in the universe to Ahriman, and since they classed these as evils, it was impossible for them to understand the relation of death and decay to life and growth. That certain things, evil in themselves, may be ranked as good because of their effects, was beyond their comprehension. They saw in nature not a perfect whole, but a discordance produced by a power seeking to destroy all harmony. To them darkness seemed but the destroyer of light, and the winter's cold but a cruel foe that had blighted the beauty of summer's warmth. They could not look beyond the leaves that fall and the flowers that fade to the buds that shoot forth and the fruits that ripen.

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G W McBride, St Helens
R S Gardner, Sellen ourtne, Ohio
G P Beaudell, Astoria
H H Pierce, Forest Grove
G Wilson, Olympia
S W Brysker, Phila
E P Morrison, Forest Grove
Mrs Merrill, S F
J Kelley & wife, S F
H Vincent, New York
S Shepherd, Oakland
Sol Abraham, Roseburg
W E Shaw, Minneapolis
C W Hollis, S F
Mrs Miller & son, S F
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Thos Jeffries, Oakland
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J S Miller, LaCentre
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J R Gaither, LaCenter
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W A Hay, Westport
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W B Marse, St Helens
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A B Courtney, do
H Hand, Farmington
S Jacks, do
J W Kirney, Belleville
Chas Darling, S F
C Richardson, Colusa
D Lyons, Vancouver
W A Roberson, Sheridan
I Senders, Junction
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F Johnson, do
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W H Eneland, Seattle
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H Burrell, do
W I McConnell, S F
J Duncan, do
J Jackson, do
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J Turback, do
J O'Neil, do
S Johns, do
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H Harford, do
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H W Ingalls, do
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C S Budd, W W
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C O Ferguson, S F
D C N cbols, do
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B P Oirk, do
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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PORTLAND, DEC. 18.

The wheat market is firm with quiet [illegible] Freights dull.

British Grain Trade.

[illegible] The Mark Lane Express in its review of the British grain trade of the past week says: The weather was unsettled [illegible] hard work. The markets are [illegible] native wheat in bad condition. There is little inquiry and the worst is almost unsaleable. Prices generally [illegible] with difficulty maintained. The demand has [illegible] There supply limited [illegible] arrivals at [illegible] Trade is very quiet [illegible] is fairly held. Corn is [illegible] a reduction. Foreign [illegible] The demand for barley is slack [illegible] Foreign sales of cargoes [illegible] last week were 49,883 quarters at [illegible] quarters at [illegible] during the corresponding period last year.

Money Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Sterling exchange on London [illegible] today, $4 80½@4 86 on documentary, $4 79½@4 80.

Transfers, 25.

Bank of England rate of interest, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Sterling exchange, prime banks, long, $4 80½; short, $4 85½.

Good commercial from 1 to 1c lower; documentary, 2 to 1½c lower.

U. S. Bonds 3's [illegible]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Silver bullion; English standard, 50 [illegible] per fine ounce, 50 [illegible]

U. S. bonds, [illegible]

Consols, [illegible] money, 101 15-16 account.

Money, Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Bar silver, 110¼; money closed, 3; governments unchanged; stocks generally firm. Western Union 81⅝; quicksilver [illegible] Pacific 41⅞; Wells Fargo, 130; N. Y. Central 130⅜; Erie [illegible]; Panama 167; Denver & Rio Grande 31⅝; Union Pacific 101⅛; bonds 115; Central Pacific 87½; bonds 116⅜; Sutro [illegible]

San Francisco Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.

Receipts—Wheat, 17,532 ctls; Flour, [illegible] qrs sks; oats, [illegible] ctls; potatoes, [illegible] sks; eggs, [illegible] doz.

Wheat—Quiet but firm; No. 1 white, $1 75@1 77½. No. 2 amber, $1 [illegible]; No. 1 white buyer December, $1 [illegible]; buyer February, $1 [illegible]. Choice Oregon and Walla Walla on wharf, [illegible] 4 00; jobbing, $4 75@5 00; demand is fair.

Barley—No. 2 feed, quiet with price against sellers; Coast $1 32½@1 37½; No. 1 feed, January, $1 [illegible]; March, $1 40.

Oats—Quiet, with no disposition on the part of holders to grant concessions; prices unchanged.

Potatoes—Petalumas and Tomales, [illegible]; Cuffey's Cove $1 [illegible]; stocks are not large but in excess of demand.

Onions—75@1 00; market poorly supplied with choice.

Hides—Dry, usual selection, 17@18c; market quiet.

Salmon—Business only jobbing. Australian steamer takes 1100 cases.

Eggs—A little firmer, but quotations are unchanged.

Butter—27½@30 for fresh roll, market well supplied.

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OPTIONS.

Quiet, steady at last quotations.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.

Wheat—Lower, 94 ac January.
Pork—Lower; $17 05 January.
Lard—Weak; $10 30@10 32½ January.
Ribs—Lower; $8 85 January.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.

Wheat—Weak and dull, $1 05@1 10.

Beerbohm's English Market Report.

LONDON, Dec. 18.

Floating cargoes—Dull.
Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Weak.
Mark Lane—Slow.
French country markets—Quiet.
Farmers' deliveries of wheat past week between 45,000 and 50,000 qrs.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18.

Spot market—Slow.
No. 1 Standard California per cental, 9s 2d.

Petroleum Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Petroleum dull; crude [illegible]; refined, 7⅝@7¾; United pipe, 94.

Copper and Tin.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Australian tin 21; copper, steady, 18½.

Baltimore Copper Market.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 18.—Copper steady, [illegible]

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Arrived 2:15 P. M., str Oregon; Sunday—James Cheston, Port Gamble.

Saturday—Am sh Oracle, New York; Holsh Utrecht, Hamburg; bktn Ella, Honolulu; schr Stagbound, Honkala Island.

Sailed—Sh War Hawk, Port Discovery. Sunday—Str Willamette, Seattle; brig Sheet Anchor, Samoa; bktn W H Dimond, Kahului.

Monday—Str Belgic, Hongkong; str Granada, Panama.

Saturday—Str Gaelic, Hongkong; Br sh Equator, Cork, f. o.; Ger sh George, Cork, f. o.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 16.—Sailed—Br sh Majestic, S F.

Spoken—Nov 8, at 20 N, long [illegible], Am sh Reaper, 37 days out from Philadelphia for Portland.

SANDY HOOK, Dec. 18.—Cleared—Am sh J F Chapman, San Francisco.

SYDNEY, Dec. 15.—Arrived—Str Zealandia, S F.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—Cleared—Am sh Berlin, San Francisco.

GRIMSBY, Dec. 7.—Sailed—Ger bk Silber, S F.

Maritime Miscellany.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Dec. 18.—The steamer Switzerland, from Antwerp for New York, passed Cape Race this morning. She reports fine weather the past week. The steamers Mississippi and Dominion, bound for Liverpool, passed this afternoon.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The steamer Ethiopia arrived at Moville from New York and grounded in Lough Foyle on the way to Glasgow.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The steamer Crest was totally wrecked on the Isle of Saint Sebastian. The crew were saved.

GLASGOW, Dec. 18.—An unknown vessel was wrecked on the Blue Idine coast and the crew lost.

MINING STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.

Curry	2⅜	Jack	1½
Mexican	6¾	Belcher	70c
Ophir	2⅜	Utah	1⅝
Union	8⅞	Diab o	3⅝
Eureka	[illegible]	Belle	3⅝

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.

Pacific Mail	41⅞	Western Union	80⅞
Northwestern	136⅜	Lake Shore	137
North Pacific	41⅞	North Pacific pfd	81
Erie	38⅞	N. Y. Central	131
Tran Continental	84⅞	Or. Imp. Stock	86
Or. Imp. bonds	91⅜		

Mining Stocks in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Mining stocks dull; Sierra Grand declined from 40 to $75; Bulwer and Anderson declined to 160; Carysolite, 120@125; Robinson Con. 115 to 120; Bulwer 120@125; Horn Silver, 6; Standard [illegible]; Navajo [illegible]. Sales 50,311 shares.

Myrtle Hess, who appears to be a dangerous character, stabbed and killed Frederick Dochterman at New York, as the result of a quarrel over a poker game in which Hess had lost 75 cents.

Governor-elect Cleveland, of New York, has tendered an appointment of aide-de-camp to his staff to Samuel J. Tilden, Jr., nephew of ex-Governor Tilden, and the same has been accepted.

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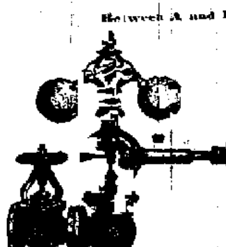

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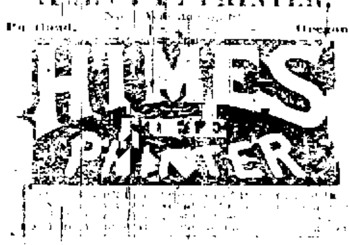

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